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WAR WITH GERMANY

HOUSE PASSES RESOLUTION

After Debate Lasting Seventeen Hours House By Vote of 373 to 50 Backs Declaration Against Germany.

ALL AMENDMENTS ARE DEFEATED

Measure Will Become Effective as Soon as Vice President Marshall and President Wilson Affix Their Signatures—Kitchin Leads Opposition

Washington, D. C., April 6.—The resolution declaring that a state of war exists between the United States and Germany, already passed by the senate, passed the house shortly after 3 o'clock this morning by a vote of 373 to 50.

President Wilson will sign the resolution as soon as Vice President Marshall has attached his signature in the senate. It formally accepts the state of belligerency forced by German aggression, and authorizes and directs the President to employ the military and naval forces and all the resources of the nation to bring war against Germany to a successful termination.

Without roll call the house rejected all amendments including proposals to prohibit the sending of any troops over sea without congressional authority.

Passage of the resolution followed 17 hours of debate. There was no attempt to filibuster, but the pacifist group under the leadership of Democratic Leader Kitchin prolonged the discussion with impassioned speeches declaring conscience would not permit them to support the President's recommendation that a state of war be declared.

Miss Rankin of Montana, the only woman member of congress sat through the first roll call with bowed head, failing to answer to her name, twice called by the clerk. On the second roll call she rose and said in a sobbing voice: "I want to stand by my country, but I cannot vote for war." For a moment then she remained standing supporting herself against a desk, and as cries of "vote," "vote," came from several parts of the house she sank back into her seat without voting audibly. She was recorded in the negative.

The Negative Votes.

The 50 who voted against the resolution were: Almon, Bacon, Britten, Browne, Burnett, Cary, Church, Connolley, of Kansas; Cooper of Wisconsin; Davidson, Davis, Decker, Dill, Dilton, Dominick, Esch, Frear, Fuller of Illinois; Haugen, Hayes, Hensley, Hilliard, Hull of Iowa; Igoe, Johnson of South Dakota; Keating, King, Kinkaid, Kitchin, Knutson, LaFollette, Little, London, Lundeen, McLemore, Mason, Nelson, Randall, Rankin, Reavis, Roberts, Rodenburg, Shackelford, Sherwood, Sloan, Stafford, VanDyke, Vaiget, Wheeler, Wood of Iowa.

Cheers greet the announcement of the result. A few minutes later Speaker Clarke signed the resolution and the house then adjourned to meet again Monday and take up the administration's recommendations for war legislation.

Washington, D. C., April 5. — The house debated the war resolution all of today and far into the night, and although the passage was assured before adjournment, the leaders predicted that a vote could not be reached until early morning. For the most part the discussion proceeded with an air of emotional acquiescence, scores of members making brief speeches to put themselves on record as reluctantly accepting war as the only course of honor.

During the day the debate revealed an unexpected strength in the minority opposing the resolution. Confident predictions of not more than a dozen votes against it gave place tonight to reports that the opposition might muster upwards of a hundred on the final roll call and supporters of the resolution conceded that the number to vote in the negative probably would be more than 50.

This surprising accession to the minority ranks was attributed to the efforts of Democratic Leader Kitchin, who took the floor and in a dramatic speech announced that he could not with a clear conscience vote for war. Supporters of the President's course were not concerned over the defection, however. Sure of a great majority they permitted the roll call to be delayed only so that everyone might be heard.

Shortly before midnight, after the debate had continued for more than 13 hours, those in charge of the resolution predicted that a vote would be taken soon after 1 o'clock.

There was no uncertainty that it might not be hours later, however. Late tonight a suggestion by Chairman Flood of the foreign affairs committee, that debate be closed before midnight met with loud shouts of disapproval and even the opposition of a considerable number of members opposed to voting on Good Friday was insufficient to get an agreement to vote by 12 o'clock.

Mr. Kitchin's opposition drew an immediate following from among the group who have opposed preparedness and armed neutrality and tonight many of them who had sat silent and glum in the rear of the chamber throughout the day moved down in front and spoke against the resolution.

One of the most earnest speeches in behalf of the President's course came from Republican Leader Mann.

Administration leaders until today had paid little attention to reports that Representative Kitchin would oppose the resolution. Rather, looking to him as the man who would have to lead the fight for revenue, they talked with him freely of the financial phase of the situation. Aroused by reports of his attitude leaders hastened to his office today to find that he had prepared in part a speech opposing the resolution. Fellow members of the house and senators pleaded vainly with him to abandon his plan. Possibly loss of the house leadership and his forced exit from public life as well as the demands of patriotism were pointed out to him.

Pacifists, learning of the activity of administration supporters, quickly jumped into the fight. Representative Shackleford of Missouri and Representative Sherwood of Ohio strongly urged Mr. Kitchin to make his speech.

Finally, shortly before 3 o'clock, after almost continuous conferences for six hours, Representative Kitchin announced that he would speak against the resolution.

Representative Hensley of Missouri, who on Tuesday said he would vote for the resolution, hastily announced that he had decided it was his duty to oppose it. Others who had deserted the pacifist camp said they were thinking seriously and probably would vote in the negative.

Obviously wearied by the day's events, Mr. Kitchin spoke without his usual fire.

"In view of the many assumptions of loyalty and patriotism," he said, "on the part of some of those who favor the resolution, and insinuations by them of cowardice and disloyalty on the part of those who oppose it, offshoots doubtless of the passionate moments, let me at once remind the house that it takes neither moral nor physical courage to declare a war for others to fight. It is evidence of neither loyalty nor patriotism for one to urge others to get into war when he knows that he going to keep out.

"The depth of my horror, the intensity of my distress in contemplating the measureless depths proposed, God only knows. Too grave is the responsibility for anyone to permit another to stand sponsor for his conscience. My conscience and judgment, after mature thought and fervent prayer for rightful guidance, has pointed out clearly the path of my duty, and I have made up my mind to walk in it if I go barefooted and alone."

Mr. Kitchin was heartily applauded from all sides as he concluded.

Late in the night Representative Britten presented an amendment designed to prohibit the use of troops in Europe, Asia or Africa without the approval of congress except troops volunteering for such service.

Representative McCullough of Ohio offered an amendment directing that "none of the military forces of the United States may be transported for service in any European country except on express approval of congress.

WAR WITH GERMANY ALONE

Break With Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey Must Come from Them.

Washington, D. C., April 5. — The United States will not sever relations or declare war with Austria, Bulgaria or Turkey so long as those countries do not force such a step. It was learned authoritatively today that any change that may come in the relations of this country with members of the Central alliance other than Germany must be precipitated by them.

Nevertheless, it is expected here that Germany will force her allies to share her relationships to the United States.

Ambassador Penfield's summoning to Washington by the state department, admitted officially today for the first time, is declared not to forecast aggressive action toward Austria by this country but to be for entirely different reasons. The one most often suggested is that, as President Wilson has announced it is impossible under the present circumstances to accept Count Tarnowski, the new Austrian ambassador, it is desired not to have an American ambassador in Vienna. Joseph C. Grew, formerly charge in Berlin will act as charge in Vienna after Mr. Penfield's departure tomorrow.

FIRE THREATENS TO DESTROY ASBURY PARK

ONE BLOCK WIPED OUT AND FLAMES STILL SPREADING

Asbury Park, N. J., April 5.—Fire which started in the natatorium here tonight spread rapidly to nearby buildings and an entire block along the beach front was in flames within 30 minutes. Half a dozen hotels are burning and fire departments from surrounding towns have been summoned.

The entire block of buildings bounded by First and Second avenues, Ocean avenue and Kingsley street was wiped out and the flames, fanned by a northeast gale jumped across Kingsley street to the next block which soon was burning.

The block destroyed contained four hotels, a moving picture theatre and a number of other buildings, all of wood. The theatre and some of the hotels were untenanted. It was estimated these structures and the natatorium were worth $200,000.

A defective electric wire caused the fire, according to the police.

The hotels burned include the Grand Central, The Ormond and the Winthrop, the Davenport Inn and the Surf House.

At a late hour the fire was still spreading, the damage then being estimated at $500,000. The Boardwalk however, had not been seriously damaged. The flames appeared to be reaching out in the direction of the business section of the city.

QUICK CALL TO MILITIA

Naval Reserves Will be Summoned As Soon As War Act Is Signed.

Washington, D. C., April 5.—The navy department completed preparations late today to flash telegraphic orders for the mobilization of $15,000 members of the naval militia and the naval reserve immediately upon the signing of the war resolution by President Wilson after it has passed the house.

The Atlantic fleet has been maintained on a war basis since the National emergency was declared. The 10,000 members of the naval militia and the 5,000 men in the various classes of the naval reserve will be employed immediately to fill up the complements of reserve ships and auxiliary and put in commission the first of the huge motor boat patrol fleets for coast protection against submarines.

2,000,000 MEN TO COMPRISE ARMY

Regular Army and Militia to Be Filled Up at Once

FOR RESERVE OFFICERS

First Conscriptions to Be of Young Men Between Ages of 19 and 25 Years

Washington, D. C., April 6.—How the government plans to raise a war army of a million men within a year and of 2,000,000 within two years was disclosed upon the passage of the war resolution by the house.

A bill prepared by the general staff and approved by the President for submission to congress provides for the immediate filling up of the regular army and National Guard to war strength of more than 600,000 by draft unless enough volunteers enlist quickly, and for bringing into the service by late summer of the first 500,000 of the new force of young men between the ages of 19 and 25 years to be called to the colors by selective conscription.

In drafting its program the staff recognized the fact that the United States must start at the beginning and train first an army of 100,000 officers and non-commissioned officers to undertake the training of the thousands of youths who will enter the service with no notion of military duty or life.

Expansion of the present regular army to its full war strength of 287,000 enlisted men and 11,700 officers, means many new regiments of all arms to be created by dividing existing regiments and filling each half to war strength with volunteers or conscripts. The National Guard regiments, all of which can be called into the federal service under existing law, will have approximately 327,000 men and 10,300 officers at war strength. No new regiments of the guard would be organized and the full limit of the National Defense act would be invoked to wipe out any distinction between federal and state forces. Here also volunteers would be received and drafting resorted to only when necessary.

These two steps would provide a total force of 614,000 men and 22,000 officers, to be supplemented by a recruit organization for each unit making an additional 200,000 men under training, but to be held in reserve to fill gaps in the active army as they occurred.

For five months these expanded forces will be subjected to training of a character hitherto unknown in this country. Simultaneously the registration of all men between the ages of 19 and 25 will be carried out with federal, state and municipal authorities co-operating.

In August or early in September the first 500,000 of this new army, composed exclusively of young men summoned to the colors under the principle of universal military service with those supporting dependents or needed by the nation in civil life exempted, would be assembled for training. From the regulars and National Guard regiments would be drawn 100,000 specially selected officers and non-commissioned officers who would organize, train and command the units of the new army.

A year from now a second increment of 500,000 youths would be called out, another 100,000 officers and non-commissioned officers would be drawn from the regulars, the National Guard forces or from the first section of the new army to officer and train the second section.

By that time the machinery that would have been built up would provide enough trained officers to train a million or more men at a time, if that were necessary. The war department bill, however, proposes to authorize now only the first two classes of the new army, making a total of more than 2,000,000 trained troops which would be available possibly within a year and a half or in two years at most.

The sum of nearly $3,000,000,000 asked of congress to carry out this program deals only with the first year of preparation. Behind it stands the need of an equal sum for reserve supplies of ammunition, cannon and other war materials if the army is to be employed in actual war.

Included in the present estimates are the cost of cantonments to house the troops. Presumably the previous plans of the general staff for 16 military districts will be carried out. This would provide for 16 complete and fully equipped army divisions and while it is not proposed to create any additional tactical units of the National Guard, steps will be taken to fill in the gaps in the present Guard structure with cavalry, artillery, engineers or other special troops, completing the tactical organization of those forces on sound military lines.

Staff officers regard the plan proposed as the most effective that could be worked out to meet the present emergency. They regard the expansion of the regular army and the bringing of both that force and the present regiments of the Guard to full war strength as vital.

TO QUADRUPLE THE NAVY

Army Bill Will Soon Be Made Public, Officials Now Declare.

Washington, D. C., April 5. — The vast scope of the administration's plan for a war army and navy were revealed today after a military budget of $3,400,000,000 had been submitted to congress. In broad terms, it is proposed to quadruple the enlisted strength of the navy and to have in service within a year an army of a million trained men, including the first 500,000 to be brought to the colors by selective conscriptions.

Bills to carry out the program already are in the hands of the congressional military and naval committees.

The budget is divided so that $2,932,000,000 goes to the army and $468,000,000 to the navy. These sums are in addition to the regular army appropriation bill of $240,000,000 and appropriations totalling $517,273,802, already available for the navy.

The navy's task will be to raise the present enlisted strength of 68,700 men to 197,000 in the shortest possible time. It is estimated it will cost $175,855,761 to do this. A lump sum appropriation of $292,538,790 is asked to cover new construction and all other material expenses.

The army bill, drafted by the general staff, has been approved by President Wilson and the department decided today to make it public immediately upon passage of the war resolution by the house.

RUSSIANS UNITE WITH BRITISH AT KHANIKAN

FRENCH SUFFER DEFEAT AT HANDS OF GERMANS IN WEST

The Germans and French have met in a sanguinary engagement northwest of Rheims, where the Germans attacked on a front of about a mile and a half between Sapigneul and the Godet farm. The exact result of the battle is beclouded by conflicting statements from the Berlin and French war offices.

The Paris war office admits that the Germans occupied portions of the French trenches but says the attack failed over the greater part of the front; that the French troops reoccupied almost immediately the captured positions and that counter attacks are in progress.

A Berlin official communication received by way of London says the Germans inflicted a sanguinary reverse on General Neville's troops in this region and that 800 men were made prisoners.

On the battle front in the region of St. Quentin there have been only artillery duels between the French and German forces. On their part of the line the British have captured the villages of Basse-Boulogne and Ronssoy, northeast of Peronne. Here the Germans suffered heavy casualties by being caught in their own wire entanglements and raked by the fire of the British machine guns. Additional gains by the British east of Metz-en-Couture are also chronicled by the British war office.

Probably the most momentous operation has been that of the Russians who, driving from Persia have captured the Mesopotamian frontier towns of Khanikan and Kasrichiran and joined hands with the advance forces of the British coming up from Bagdad. The Turks, however, are making a stand against the Russians in this region to prevent them from crossing the Diala river northwest of Khanikan.

The Belgian steamer Trevier, with a cargo of Belgian relief supplies, has been torpedoed without warning off the coast of Holland. The crew was saved, although eight of the men were wounded by the fire of the submarine as they were leaving the steamer in the small boats. Another Belgian relief vessel, the Norwegian steamer, Feistein, has been sunk in the North sea on the way to Rotterdam. It is believed the Feistein struck a mine.

United States' Preparedness May Prove Big Surprise to German War Lords Who Anticipate No Trouble Here

ONE OF GREATEST NAVIES AFLOAT

Small, But Highly Efficient Army, Backed By Citizenry of 20,000,000 Men Capable of Military Duty---Greatest Industrial Resources

Washington, D. C., April 5. — Actual and potential resources which, all told, probably never have been equalled by any other nation in the history of the world, are brought into the great war under the American flag.

Into the balance against Germany are thrown a navy in strength and efficiency among the foremost afloat; an army comparatively small but highly efficient, backed by a citizenry of upwards of 20,000,000 capable of military duty; industrial resources incomparably the greatest in the world, already mobilized for public service; and the moral force of more than 100,000,000 Americans awakened to their country's peril and united behind their President with a patriotic fervor reincarnating the spirit of '76.

Although much remains to be done, officials believe the nation's destiny is secure now, no matter how stubborn or prolonged may be the pressure of German militarism or how wide the scope of German intrigue. The slowly maturing preparedness sentiment has borne fruit in military, naval and industrial preparations which already have put the United States on a defense basis not even hoped for two years ago. What more it will do, the President believes, can be measured only by what the administration finds will be necessary.

The navy, always the first line of defense, has cleared its decks of antiquated encumbrances, has added new units modernized to meet the German tactics and through the patriotic co-operation of ship makers is hurrying to completion other mighty fighting craft that will be the last word in power and efficiency. Authorized but ten days ago to recruit to the full war strength of 87,000 men, the navy already has almost attained the total. To provide additional officers a class of midshipmen has been graduated three months ahead of its time.

Army preparations are less complete because of the uncertainty over congressional action. The regulars, numbering 120,000 and trained and equipped in a way which their officers believe matches unit for unit the boasted efficiency of Germany's best, are ready to respond over night to whatever call may come. The National Guard, 150,000 strong, and hardened by months of service at the border, already has many units in active service for police duty throughout the country and can be fully mobilized on short notice. Without additional authorization by congress the regulars and Guardsmen could be recruited to a combined strength of 700,000 and detailed plans for whatever larger army may be authorized have been prepared. Great quantities of equipment have been purchased.

Industrial preparations, thanks to lessons of the war and the patriotic attitude of industry, have produced a great, compact scheme of national resources with almost unlimited possibilities. The Council of National Defense, in daily conferences with the nation's leading financial, commercial, scientific and labor chiefs not only has worked out a definite and detailed industrial mobilization plan but has secured the endorsement and pledges of the men who can put it into effect at a moment's notice, bringing to the aid of the military arms of the service the full resources of the richest nation, organized with characteristic Yankee skill and business thoroughness.

For military reasons only a small part of the details of these preparations has been permitted to reach the public. It is known, however, that for many months the government has considered war a possibility and has strained its every resource to make ready. In the tense waiting period since relations were broken the President has kept the whole machinery of the government in motion day and night to prepare against eventualities. To any close observer at the capitol it now is apparent that Germany again has misjudged if she thought to find the United States hopelessly impotent and unprepared.

The navy has enlisted virtually the entire shipbuilding facilities of the country, surveys have been made of merchant craft that would be available as auxiliaries, and guns have been placed on many of them; plans are complete for immediately taking over cutters of the coast guard service, more than a score of steamers equipped for mine laying and belonging to the lighthouse service, and the scientifically fitted vessels of the bureau of fisheries and the coast and geodetic survey.

More than $100,000,000 authorized by the last congress is being spent on naval and private shipyards. The eight-hour labor regulation as applying to naval work has been suspended by order of the President, and various agencies are helping insure an adequate supply of skilled and unskilled labor. Builders have laid aside private work on which profits amount to as much as 50 per cent. to give precedence to navy work on a basis of cost plus 10 per cent. profit.

Detailed plans have been worked out through months of study by a special naval board for realigning the whole system of naval bases. Around some of the bases and other strategic coast points steel submarine nets have been swung and contracts have been awarded for 1,000 more nets, each 1,050 feet in length.

For the first time clerical and other shore positions in the navy have been opened to women and recruiting stations have been unable to handle the flood of applications following the call for recruits. There is a boom in recruiting for the marine corps, too, which has been raised to an authorized war strength of 17,400 and soon is to be further increased. Passage of the war resolution is the signal for mobilization of 15,000 naval militiamen and reserves to support the regulars.

For the coast patrol of submarine chasers hundreds of contracts have been let and many other small craft have been offered by private owners. So far has the organization of the mosquito fleet progressed that more than a score of bases have been established along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. Secretary Daniels hopes soon to have at least 2,000 such boats in operation. Plans are ready to commandeer private shipyards should occasion require.

The army whose great need is trained men and officers is employing unusual means to prepare for the organization and training of any force congress may authorize. Hundreds of applications for commissions in the officers reserve corps are being accepted and for the grade of second lieutenant the bars have been let down to men who never have had military training. Units of the reserve officers training corps have been established in many colleges and enlisted men who could take command have been designated for commissions from every regiment of regulars. Graduation April 20 of the June class at West Point has been ordered by Secretary Baker.

With rifles and other equipment for a vast army already on hand, enormous contracts have been placed and the contracts are elastic so that other millions can be spent as soon as appropriated. Clothing manufacturers have united in expediting of uniforms, as have other industrial concerns in providing quickly other necessary material.

The work of the National Defense council in co-ordinating with defense measures not strictly military or naval has been regarded by officials as quite as important as any other task of preparedness. The council is composed of a majority of the cabinet members and it has an advisory commission of seven leaders in the seven fields on which the nation would draw most heavily in war—transportation, labor, munitions, raw materials, medicines, supplies and science and research. Each of the commissioners has organized a committee to take care of the preparations in a particular field. The resulting mobilization plan is said to be one of the most complete worked out in any country. The council has created a commercial economy board with broad authority to deal with the crucial problem of war time distribution of commodities. Experienced economists will serve without pay on the board and their efforts are expected to insure the country against confusion and loss of economic power.

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ASK CONGRESS FOR OVER 3 BILLION

To Finance War Against Germany For the First Year

LARGE PART FOR ARMY

Banks of Federal Reserve System Ready to Absorb Two Billion Dollars of Bonds

Washington, D. C., April 5.—Congress was asked today to provide immediately $3,502,517,000 to finance the war for one year, approximately as follows:

For the war department, $2,072,837,833.

For increasing the authorized strength of the navy to 150,000 men and the marine corps to 30,000 men, $175,855,[illegible].

For other necessary expenditures for the naval establishments at the direction and discretion of the President, $292,200,790.

For the coast guard so that it may perfect and bring to a high state of efficiency its telephone system of coastal communications, $600,000.

A bond issue, increased taxation including higher taxes on estates, large incomes, whiskey, beer, tobacco. No new methods of taxation probably will be resorted to to raise the huge amount.

Unofficial estimates to the federal reserve board are to the effect that the banks of the federal reserve system are in a position to absorb up to $2,000,000,000 of war bonds at once at a rate of interest not exceeding 3½ per cent. Secretary McAdoo authorized the statement that he thought the government would have no difficulty in raising the necessary finances but declined to indicate the probable method that will be adopted.

Treasury department experts are assembling a mass of data for consideration of the congressional orders in drafting the war measures. Members in the house and senate conferred with Secretary McAdoo during the day in reference to revenue and new taxation and a call was issued for a meeting tomorrow of the house appropriations committee to consider the entire situation.

Lowering of the income tax exemption to $2,000 and possibly to $1,500 are among the proposals under consideration. A conservative view was that at the present rate of taxation $100,000,000 would be added to the government's revenues by lowering the exemption to $2,000; some officials thought that the returns would be doubled, bringing the total to $650,000,000.

Proposals under consideration to increase the federal tax on estates up to 40 per cent on very large estates would swell the government's revenues if adopted by hundreds of millions.

The internal revenue bureau of the treasury department is collecting revenue under peace taxes at the rate of $750,000,000 annually. This sum could be doubled, or increased by $1,000,000,000 by moderate increases in the tax rate on whiskey, beer and tobacco, the lowering of the income tax exemption to $2,000, a graduated excess profits tax, increased taxes on estates and greatly increased taxation on large incomes. Through this channel alone it was thought approximately $1,000,000,000 annually might be raised for carrying on the war.

Plans for the forthcoming bond issue were said by officials involved to be purely in a speculative position at present. Indications are that the interest rate on whatever bonds are issued will not exceed 3½ per cent and may be as low as 3 per cent.

The underwriting of a large proportion of the proposed bond issue by private financial houses, while considered only informally, is understood to be generally disapproved.

The estimates calling for the appropriation money for carrying on the war were couched in general terms and lacking in details. The great total does not include possible loans to the allies, part of the administration's program.

Secretary McAdoo said tonight he had received many suggestions from bankers and others who are investigating every phase of the situation. John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency, is in New York to consult, it is understood, with bankers there regarding the proposed bond issue.

Chairman Simmons of the senate finance committee intimated that short term notes might be issued to a limited extent to make immediately available a portion of the sum desired.

Representative Rainey of Illinois, ranking majority member of the ways and means committee, declared that the income tax would probably be amended so as to furnish the government with great increased revenues during the war.

"My view is," he said, "that while the war lasts no man should enjoy an income of more than $75,000 or $100,000 a year and that the government should take over all this amount. We could obtain also $200,000,000 additional annually by raising taxes on whiskey and wines to a level with what they were taxed in England before the war started.

"The excess profits tax, now in force, must be graduated, making it heaviest on largest profits. The tariff is impossible as a source of revenue during the war."

Germans Made Some Gains.

London, England, April 5. — The German official communication of today, as received here, claims that the Germans have inflicted a sanguinary reverse on the French in an elaborately prepared and vigorously executed attack north of Rheims. Eight hundred men were made prisoners.

RUSSIAN ATTACHE SHOT

Mystery Surrounding Injury to Diplomat at Baltimore Club.

Baltimore, Md., April 5. — Count Michael Borzatovski, commercial attache of the Russian embassy in Washington who arrived from Petrograd eight days ago with a document for the embassy from the Russian minister of finance, was shot today at the Baltimore Country club. He is now in a hospital here.

M. Borzakovsky arrived here Saturday from Washington after he delivered his documents to the Russian embassy. It is understood that he was to remain in this country as a commercial attache.

E. Griswold Thelin, a prominent clubman, stood sponsor for him at the Baltimore country club and the count had been stopping there since Sunday.

He was found unconscious on the floor of the club at 2 a. m. and Mr. Thelin had him taken to the hospital.

Friends of M. Borzakovsky said he was toying with a pistol when it exploded. They further announced that he was shot in the breast.

At the hospital, however, it was stated that the bullet lodged in the stomach. One of his physicians said further that the shooting was not an accident.

The Russian embassy in Washington was notified.

APPROPRIATION BILLS ARE HUSTLED THROUGH

HOUSE CLEARS WAY FOR ACTION ON WAR RESOLUTION

Washington, D. C., April 6.—Four big appropriation bills which failed in the senate at the last session were repassed in quick succession today by the house, thus clearing the way for the war resolution which will be brought up tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The bills carried appropriations of more than $440,000,000. They were: Army, $240,000,000; sundry civil, $138,241,000; general deficiency, $62,583,000, and military academy, $1,349,000.

No changes were made in the form of any of the measures as they passed the house at the last session. Numerous emergency amendments will be added to them in the senate and the final bills will be drafted in conference in the interest of speed.

Many additional appropriation bills will have to be passed during the session but the size or form of any of them will not be known until congress has declared a state of war existing and the executive branch of the government has submitted its plans for prosecuting hostilities. Tentative plans now being discussed are to pass a special deficiency bill similar to one carrying $50,000,000 which was passed prior to the Spanish-American war to be used in any emergency which may arise in the various departments. Before the vote on the sundry civil bill, Chairman Fitzgerald of the appropriations committee, addressed the house on the need for rigid economy and efficient service in the coming crisis.

Within a few days it is expected the naval, military, ways and means and judiciary committees will begin considering war measures.

Representative Padgett, chairman of the naval committee, introduced a bill today to permit the President to take over boats, including small craft, in case of war. Chairman Dent of the military committee said on the floor that he awaited word from Secretary Baker as to what steps he desired the committee to take before calling it together.

The judiciary committee will begin consideration in a few days of the espionage bill, which failed at the last session.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Markets.

New York, April 5. — Liquidation and short selling continued with increased vigor in the stock market today in the further absence of public support. Heaviness of investment rails was a striking feature, giving rise to reports of a recurrence of foreign offerings.

Greater weakness prevailed among the prominent industrials, including munitions and equipments.

The inherent strength of the market for investment securities was demonstrated by the many bids at high prices for the New York state 4 per cent bond issue, which was awarded to a powerful banking syndicate. It was assumed that these bonds have additional value from the fact that unlike forthcoming federal issues they are exempt from taxation.

U. S. Steel furnished from 20 to 25 percent of the total turnover, making a net loss of 2 points at 113. Bethlehem Steels were 4 to 5 points lower, with 2 to 4 for others of that group. All the active metals, oils, leathers, papers and utilities were 2 to 3 points lower, with 6¼ for Ohio Gas at 132½.

Coalers were most freely offered of the rails, Reading, Norfolk and Western, Lehigh Valley and Erie being among the heaviest issues. Final prices were only nominally above lowest levels.

U. S. bonds unchanged.

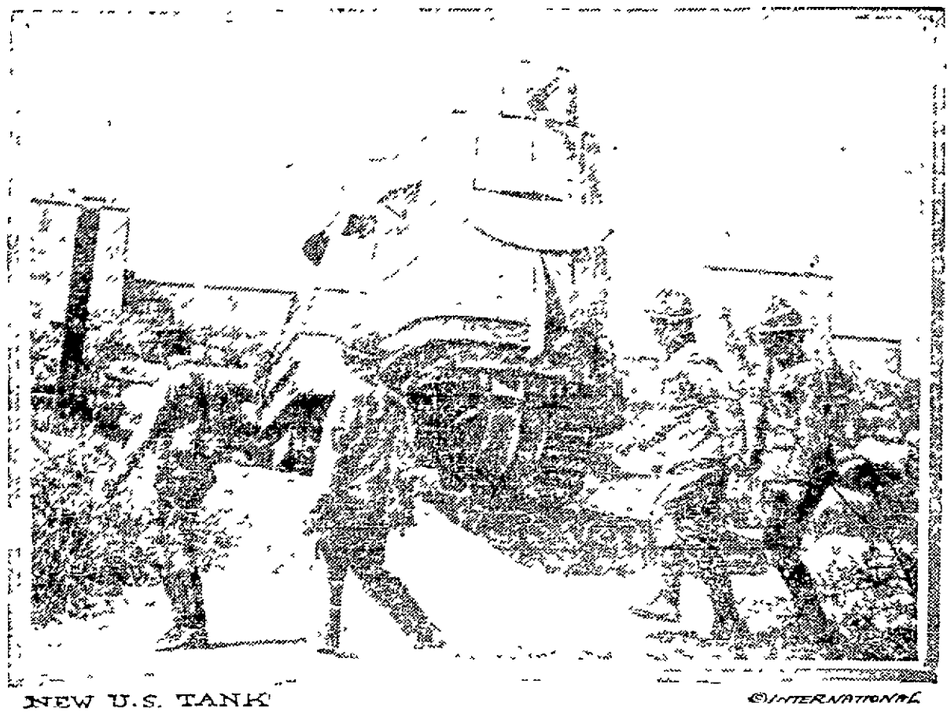
New York Produce.

Butter — Weak; receipts, 4,649 tubs; creamery, higher than extras, 45@45½; extras, 92 score, 44@44½; firsts, 42@43½, seconds, 38½@41½.

Eggs — Irregular; receipts, 32,312 cases; fresh gathered extras, 35@35½; fresh gathered storage packed firsts, 34@34½; fresh gathered firsts, 34; seconds and lower grades, 31½@32½; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 37@38; browns, 35@36.

Cheese — [illegible]

FIRST TANK TO BE BUILT IN UNITED STATES



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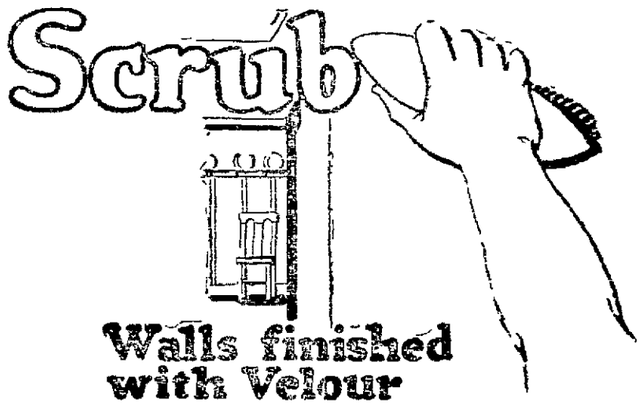

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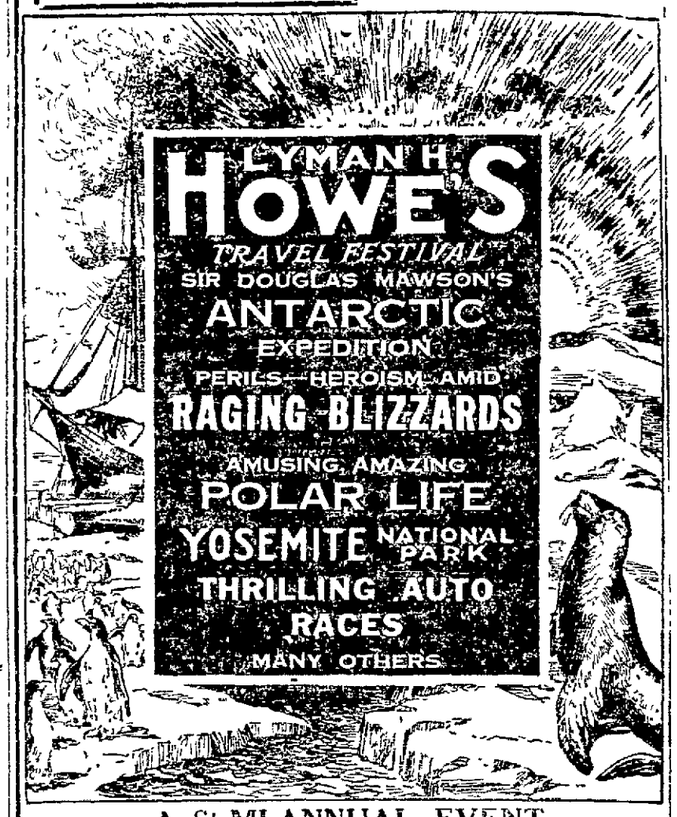

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WEST ONEONTA NEWS.

Miss Clair Ackley Pleasantly Surprised in Honor of Approaching Marriage.

West Oneonta, April 5. — Twelve lady friends of Miss Clair Ackley met at her home Wednesday afternoon in honor of her approaching marriage. After spending the time playing games, Miss Ackley was invited to step into another room, where a stand was well laden with mysterious looking packages, which, upon being opened, proved to be some handy and useful articles of aluminum ware. Later light refreshments were served. All departed leaving their best wishes for a bright and happy future with the bride-elect.

Other Items of Interest.

On Saturday evening the Y. P. B. will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. Carroll Streeter. — Lynn Horton of Clinton is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Horton. — Mrs. Frank Taber returned home Wednesday after a two weeks' visit at Schenectady and Keesville. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Ruth Taber, of Schenectady. — Miss Edith Bull of Syracuse is spending her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs D. F. Arnold. — Miss Lena Miller is home from Tuxedo Park to remain until after Easter. — Mr. and Mrs. Horace Harrison are entertaining their son, Galen, of Ithaca, this week. — We are sorry to report Eugene Terry as not gaining very fast. The other sick ones are all doing nicely. — George Rouse of North Franklin is in town for a few days.— Miss Ruth Manning arrived home Thursday from Albany, for a two weeks' vacation. — Miss Blanch Coos of Greater New York was the guest of her sisters, Mrs. Henry Taber and Mrs. Burton Sheldon, the first of the week. — Mrs. Howard Murdock of Hartwick spent Tuesday with her brother, Raymond Hotaling. — Miss Grace Taber of New York is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taber. — Mrs. Josiah Wing is spending some time at the home of her son, Carl Wing, at Schuyler Lake. — The Embroidery club will meet this Saturday afternoon, with Mrs. Emerson Bull.

RECRUITS FOR COMPANY G.

Cooperstown Detachment to Meet Friday Evening at Court House.

Cooperstown, April 5. — A meeting of the recruits for the proposed Company G detachment will be held on Friday evening at the court house, Sergeant Boyce being sent here by the government for enlistment purposes. Saturday will be physical examination day, and Captain Augustin will be present at the Cooperstown High school all day for the examination of those who enlist. Captain Parish is expected to be in town on Monday, when he will make the final arrangements for the detachment. Postmaster Carley is working hard to secure a larger number of candidates and with war staring us in the face, the community is confidently expecting a sufficient number of her loyal and patriotic sons to offer themselves as a nucleus for a company of Cooperstown's "own" guardsmen. Get together boys and the village will stand back of you and be proud of her faithful sons.

Baptists Will Welcome New Pastor.

The members of the Baptist church are preparing to welcome their new pastor, Rev. LeRoy Halbert of Hornell, who is expected to take up his new duties about May 1. Mr. Halbert preached at the Baptist church in this village several weeks ago and made such a good impression that he was immediately extended a unanimous call. Before accepting the pastorship at Hornell, Mr. Halbert was in charge of the Baptist church at Belmont and is fully qualified for his duties in this village. He will be accompanied upon his arrival by his wife and children.

Special Election Monday.

Next Monday will be a momentous day in the village history. The question of paving Main street and other improvements will come before the taxpayers at a special election to be held from 12 to 3 p. m. The more we see of Main street the more we wonder why any of our taxpayers should hesitate to endorse the paving proposition. Suitable names cannot be found to express each individual thought on the disgusting conditions prevailing on that thoroughfare. Let us hope there will not be one dissenting vote when the ballots are counted Monday afternoon.

Will Purchase Canadian Horses.

Fred Green, our ever popular horse dealer, has gone to Canada in search of first class horses and intends returning about next Tuesday with a carload of Canadian horses, which, by the way, are found to be exceptionally well suited to this climate.

Will Open Lunch Room.

W. H. Spaulding, lunch room proprietor of this village, has purchased the building occupied by Gardner's harness shop, and intends opening a lunch room there later on.

OTEGO OFFERINGS.

Hose and Hook and Ladder Companies Elect Officers Tuesday Evening.

Otego, April 5. — At the annual meeting of the Otego Hose company and the Otego Hook and Ladder company, on Tuesday evening last, the following officers were elected:

Hose Company — Foreman, Raymond Redington; assistant foreman, Fred Sandike; secretary, William L. Redington; treasurer, Ralph G. Waite; trustees, George D. Bundy, Fred C. Smith, Louis J. Redington, Herman E. Fish, William H. Barney; property clerk, Merton Secor; wardens, George D. Bundy, Herman E. Fish; delegates, William L. Redington, Fred C. Smith, Fred Sandike.

Hook and Ladder Company—Foreman, Merle Smith; assistant foreman, Leon Hopkins; secretary, Harry Allen; assistant secretary, Lauren Hammond; treasurer, James Hawkins; steward, Grover Hawkins; wardens, Harry Allen, John Hess; electors, Leon Hopkins, Lauren Hammond, J. D. Reymore.

"The Old Peabody Pew" Given.

A good attendance was present at the play, "The Old Peabody Pew," given by Martha chapter, O. E. S., at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening for the benefit of the local chapter. The cast was assisted by local talent in readings given by Miss Louise Bouck of Wells Bridge, Miss Marian Burrell, Miss Dorothy Allen and Miss Thelma Card. The proceeds amounted to $25.

Presbyterian Pointers.

For the year ending March 31, 1917, the session reports as follows: Pastor's salary paid in full to April 1, outstanding indebtedness all settled; benevolences, $151; total a year ago, $132; calls tabulated by Pastor Scholl, 418; total reported to the General assembly, 62. Sunday school total, 58.

Elder Charles Hunt was elected delegate to the meeting of the presbytery called for April 16 and 17 at Oneonta.

Easter sermon and special music on Lord's day morning next.

Elder Hector Mitchell, recently elected for three years to succeed himself, is to be installed as required by the General assembly next Sunday.

Rebekahs to Rehearse Degree Work.

Officers of Vala Hannah Rebekah lodge are requested to meet at the lodge rooms Friday evening to practice degree work.

Meeting of Home Economics Club.

The regular meeting of the Otego Economics club will be held in C. C. Connor's rooms, Tuesday, April 10, at 2:30 o'clock. The topic for roll call will be "Sandwich Fillings," followed by a demonstration on egg croquetts.

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church, Dr. C. H. Bresee was elected the lay delegate to the annual conference which convenes at Cooperstown next week.

MASONS TO VISIT UTICA.

Excursion Monday, April 9, for Members of Sixteenth District.

Hobart, April 5.— A. L. O'Connor of Hobart, district deputy grand master of the Sixteenth Masonic district, has made arrangements for an excursion over the New York Ontario and Western railroad to Utica, for the purpose of giving the Masons of the Sixteenth Masonic district an opportunity to visit the Masonic home at Utica.

This excursion will run on the 29th of April 1917, and will start from Fallsburg, Sullivan county, at 8 a. m., where the members of Monticello lodge will take the train; will stop at Liberty for the members of Cabcon lodge of Jeffersonville and Mengaup lodge of Liberty; at Livingston Manor and Roscoe for the members of Livingston Manor lodge; at East Branch for the members of Downsville and Margaretville lodges, who expect to run a special train from Margaretville to East Branch on that occasion; at Cadosia for the members of Delaware lodge at Callicoon and Hancock lodge; at Walton for the members of Coeur de Leon lodge of Roxbury, St. Andrew's lodge of Hobart, Delhi lodge and Walton lodge; a special train being run from Delhi to meet the excursion train at Walton; at Sidney for the members of Sidney lodge, and also the members of Oneonta, Bainbridge, Afton and Freedom lodge of Unadilla, who have been invited to go on this excursion.

The train is scheduled to leave Liberty at 8:21, Livingston Manor at 8:45, East Branch at 9:16, Cadosia at 9:33; Walton at 10:08; Sidney at 10:48 and arrive at Utica at 1 p. m. and returning will leave Utica at 5 p. m. arriving at Sidney at 7.25 p. m. and Walton at 8.05 p. m. The railroad has very generously consented to charge only fare one way for the round trip, and the fares from the various stations will be as follows:

Fallsburgh to Utica and return	$4.20
Liberty	3.95
Livingston Manor	3.76
Roscoe	3.55
East Branch	3.17
Cadosia	2.90
Walton	2.45
Sidney	1.90
Delhi	2.85

William J. Wiley superintendent of the Masonic home at Utica, has kindly consented to have the children of the home give a musical program consisting of vocal and instrumental selections and Honorable Charles Smith of Oneonta, past grand master of the state of New York, will be present at Utica and deliver a short address.

This excursion will not only afford the Masons of the Sixteenth Masonic district an opportunity to visit the home at Utica, which will alone be worth the small sum it will cost to go on this excursion, but will also afford the Masons of the Sixteenth Masonic district an opportunity to get better acquainted with each other. Only Masons will be allowed to go on this excursion and every Mason in the Sixteenth Masonic district should take advantage of this opportunity if it is possible for him to do so.

St. Andrew's Lodge.

There will be a special meeting of St. Andrew's lodge Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, when the third degree will be conferred on several candidates.

Sunday Telephone Service.

The Rose Telephone company has an operator on duty now all day Sunday, one of the ways in which they are improving the service of the company.

Heard About Town.

Miss Lottie Bennett, who has been spending the winter in Washington, D. C., returned to her home in this village last evening. — John Pogue of South Kortright was a Hobart caller today. — W. H. Borst of Carbondale, Pa., is visiting his father, J. B. Borst. —W. H. Sheffield left this morning on a business trip to New York city. — R. W. Hume sold to O'Connor & O'Connor yesterday a six-cylinder Buick runabout. — W. F. Clark returned today

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DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

SIDNEY CENTER NEWS.

Large Attendance Monday at Patriotic Demonstration at High School.

Sidney Center, April 5. — A large crowd was present at the patriotic demonstration which was held Monday noon in front of the post office by the pupils of the Grammar school and the Boy Scouts. Patriotic readings were given by Emerson Bresee, George Sloane and Vance Manzer, the national songs were sung and the flag salute given.

A Teachers' Conference.

The spring conference for the teachers of the town of Sidney was held in the school building last Friday. The conference was in charge of Superintendent C. W. Vandegrift of Sidney, who had prepared a program of unusual interest. Eighteen teachers were present.

Asking for Electric Lights.

W. H. Benedict was in Sidney last Monday to attend a meeting of the town board and to present a petition signed by a majority of our residents asking for the privilege of having electric lights installed in this village. As it is necessary for the petition to lay on the table for 30 days, no action can be taken until early in May.

Easter Exercises.

Easter exercises will be held in both churches next Sunday morning and will consist of drills, recitations, exercises and songs by the children and special Easter music by the choir.

Social Friday Night.

The Young People's society of Christian Endeavor will hold an "Ad" social in the Baptist church on Friday evening.

Steps on Rusty Nail.

Clarence Palmer, who is employed on Bert Bowman's farm, has been quite lame for a few days as a result of stepping on a rusty nail.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The next meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the home of Mrs. C. H. Bresee Wednesday afternoon, April 11. Program: The reconstruction period in the south, Mrs. James Winans; Edward Everett Hale, Mrs. H. H. Bishop; Review of "The Man Without a Country," Mrs. William Comstock; Julia Ward Howe, Mrs. Albert Ingalls; singing, "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." Current events in response to roll call.

Sheep Demonstration.

The O. & W. sheep demonstration car will be at this station on Friday afternoon, April 6, from 12:30 to 2.30.

Lay Delegate to Conference.

At the last meeting of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal

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SEEKING SEPARATE PEACE.

Ever since the war in Europe began there has from time to time been a rumor of a separate peace with one country or another. Mostly it has been with Russia, though occasionally it has been with Italy, and in at least a single instance it was intimated that it would be with France, Germany being thereby left free to fight out an ancient feud with England of which for years every German officer has thought whenever he has drained a cup to "The Day." Since the revolution in Russia the report has again gained currency as to that country, but never with so much reason for absolute disbelief.

For one thing, there was reason for belief in the earlier time because it was realized that Russia as Germany stood as a strong hold for autocracy. In a conflict which more and more came about to be a struggle between constitutional government and absolute rulership it was early evident that there was very little actual sympathy between the eastern and western allies against the Central Powers. The end of the struggle, if Germany were defeated, doubtless meant an end to absolute monarchy there, and in that case it was certain that the disaffected subjects of the czar would set up a republic in Petrograd. For these reasons the czar has evidently been a lukewarm advocate of war, and the revolution which lately overturned his throne was a logical sequence to his attitude.

But, now that he is off the throne, there appears no reason whatever to believe that the Russian republic will ever make that separate peace which they would not permit the czar to make. All the old reasons from the beginning of the war might be recounted,—its desire not merely like Germany for a place in the sun, but for an unrestricted outlet to the sea which should not be ice bound half the year, and all the year beset with enemies, the struggle for the overlordship of the minor Slavic states, the question of religion,—but the one thing which may be counted on to keep Russia in line if all the other considerations were forgotten is that upon the success of the allies depends the permanence of the republic. The Germanic rulership of the kaiser, if it is to be permanent, must be buttressed with something on the east more substantial and more congenial than a republic. It will be the policy of the kaiser therefore as a matter of personal safety, to upset the republic and to place the Romanoffs again upon the throne.

If there were no others, this one reason would doubtless be enough to determine the Duma to stand by the allies. But there are others, racial, historical and religious, and the allies can go on their way assured, we confidently believe, that there will be no separate peace. With Russia a republic the issue is clearly drawn and the free nations of the world are ranged definitely all on one side in a struggle which must in the final event determine the destiny of the world.

Hoover in London.

Herbert Hoover, chairman of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, is now in London and has resumed personal charge of the Belgian situation. Recent dispatches from Paris describe the ovation he received from the repatriated French for the succor given by the American relief, and confirmed the statements that all the food had reached the civil population without loss.

The Commission for Relief in Belgium, 120 Broadway, referring to the German statement in this morning's press indicated difficulties in securing despatch of the commission's shipping detained in British waters since early in February, states that the loaded ships in question have already been discharged by the British authorities and are now returning to American ports for new cargoes.

The commission's ships are no longer obliged to touch at English ports en route to Rotterdam, and a recurrence of this trouble is impossible. Furthermore, the commission's shipping is now proceeding normally via Halifax and the Northern route; five fully loaded steamers have arrived at Rotterdam and 14 en route to American ports for loading.

Time to Secure Seeds.

Unquestionably there will be more gardens planted and more demand for seeds this spring than for many years. The wise gardener will see to it that he has a dependable supply of seeds long before the time for planting comes, for the probabilities are that there will be some who will fail to secure seeds. Among the seeds used by many experienced gardeners in this section are those of the Jerome B. Rice Seed company of Cambridge. They are grown under similar climatic and soil conditions and have been found very satisfactory. You will do well to secure a supply of Rice seeds and at once.

There is no sinecure in the soul's economy. Every power has its work to do, every capacity its gift to fill it.—Phillips Brooks.

SOCIETY NEEDS PROTECTION

STATE SHOULD PROVIDE FOR 23,000 ADDITIONAL FEEBLE MINDED.

Their Freedom to Marry and Beget Other Defectives a Menace to State, Entailing Large Expense Upon Commonwealth.

Partial surveys made in Otsego county have brought out the fact that of the 23,000 unprotected feebleminded persons in the state this county has its share. It has also been strikingly demonstrated that because of the over-crowded conditions in the state institutions it is virtually impossible for poor law officials to commit more from this county. In fact the county has considerably more in the institutions than it is entitled to. Its quota at the Rome State Custodial asylum is eight. It has 12 in the asylum. It is entitled to three at the Syracuse Institution for Feeble Minded Children and it actually has 14 there.

E. A. Collier, commissioner of charities; Thomas Bizard, chief of police; Henry Shove, city judge, and Miss J. E. Dawson, secretary of the Social Welfare Federation, all said yesterday the problem of feeble mindedness has become a serious one. They said their hands were practically tied when called upon to deal with this class of dependents. The mental defectives enter into every phase of charity and correctional work. It was asserted. From their numbers come many recruits to the criminal, pauper and immoral classes. The only proper way to deal with the situation is segregation, especially of the feebleminded women of child bearing age, these public and private officers believe.

Records of four or five families in the county were given to show the evil of permitting feebleminded persons to mingle in society. Each one of these units has its source in sub-normal parents. The majority of members of each family are weighed down by the taint of mental defectiveness.

In one of the families cited there are four daughters. The mother is sub-normal. One of the girls gave birth to a defective child at the age of 12 years. Social betterment workers took the child away from the mother some time ago and provided for its proper care. At least two of the other daughters have had illegitimate children. The mother separated from her husband years ago. She is now living with a young man who has a jail record. Three of the daughters are in the same house. The police are now watching the house.

It is just such persons that should be segregated as a safeguard to themselves and to society. The menace of mental defectiveness is aggravated by the fact that this class of unfortunates propogates faster than normal persons. Their offspring as a rule are of the same mental calibre as they are.

The state probably will make a start this year to relieve the existing overcrowded conditions in the state institutions. The appropriation bill provides a total of $614,500 for enlarging the asylums. Contracts for $529,600 additional are authorized, making a total of $1,144,100 of appropriation and authorization for the feebleminded and epileptic this year. This work, if endorsed by both houses of the legislature and approved by the governor, will make room for an additional 890 patients.

SUNDAY SCHOOL NIGHT.

Evangelist Parsons Preaches Strong Sermon on "Charity."

Last evening was Sunday School Night at the First Baptist church, the church being packed with members of the different classes, who sat in the front with their teachers. The chorus choir was not present last night but a class consisting of young women and Normal school students occupied the choir seats and aided by the students of the Sunday school gave a fine song service. After the announcements of the evening were made, Arthur Youngs of Altoona, Pa., who is one of Mr. Parsons' first converts in that city and now an evangelist himself, gave a brief prayer.

Harlow Parsons spoke on the subject, "One thing you lack" taken from the scripture of St. Luke, the eighteenth chapter. A certain Pharisee ruler asked the Lord "What good thing may I do that I may have eternal life," to which Jesus answered, keep my commandments. The ruler answered that this he had done ever since a child and then the Lord told him to give to the poor all that he possessed. At this the ruler was very displeased for he loved too well his wealth to part with it and so he lost eternal life for earthly lust.

The speaker likened this parable to the every day Christian and drew from it the truth which we all know too well that if we want to follow the life of Christ, we must leave all earthly pleasures and lust. Have you treated God fair? You may be honest, moral and friendly with men on earth, but how do you stand with God? Come and hear one of Harlow Parson's sermons before you answer this question and see if your conscience stands the conviction. Remember tonight is Odd Fellows' and Rebekah's night and all members are requested and invited to attend with their lodge; also that Saturday night the Roosters' choir, composed of the children, will have charge of the music. Come and hear the children sing and hear Harlow Parson's sermon on moving pictures. He will give eight reels that are "real." He invites any moving picture man either in the business or just a fan, to come and defend the pictures against him. This promises to be a thriller, as they talk about in moving picture talk.

Catching Fish by Suction.

The fish of the deep are getting wiser, but they can't sidestep one modern apparatus built to ensnare them. It is nothing more than an application of the vacuum cleaner principle. The fish enter a funnel shaped net under the boat and are drawn up to a container tank on deck by powerful suction pumps.—Popular Science Monthly.

AMERICA AND THE WAR

The Pitiful Obstructors.

The debate in the senate on the war resolution yesterday was memorable because of what the opponents of the American course did not say. They brought forward no facts; they attempted no justification of Germany; they failed to adduce a single argument that was not based in timidity, personal ambition or malice. Their arguments, if we may dignify their puerile utterances by that name, were a rehash of policies and paradoxes long ago rejected definitely by the American people.—[New York Sun.

The Call to the Colors.

Recruiting to fill the vacancies in the regular and the state service and to complete new organizations is the first duty to be faced. The hour has struck and volunteers and veterans pressing for acceptance should be heartened by the patriotic sentiment and generous sympathy of the whole people. The ardor of the country's youth should be heightened by local acclaim, whether in modern hamlet or in populous centers, and patriotic enthusiasm should not be dampened by any over insistence on individual tests, well enough perhaps in piping times of peace, but, within saving limits, an overplay of the real game in time of war.—[New York Herald.

Going to War Soberly.

War is accepted by the American people without hysteria and almost without excitement. As there can be no surprise in what has long been foreseen, so the response to the President's summons reveals satisfaction and determination rather than the delirium and fury that so often attend war's beginnings.—[New York World.

America Must Do Her Part.

We enter the war, as the President has so nobly said, without selfish ambition, without desire for conquest or indemnity. We are entering the war to share in the struggle to preserve the liberties men of many races have cleared for all mankind in the battles of the past. But as we enter without selfish ambition, without selfish desire, we must endure and sacrifice and share the world burden until the world danger is past. America must do her part in association with the nations which hold the same faith she does, and if we go into the battle line we must not leave it until the victory is assured.—[New York Tribune.

No Better Service.

Our American friends of German origin, so misunderstood for a long time in Germany, too long misrepresented by their newspapers and misunderstood in this country, of which they are loyal citizens, can do no better service to the United States and to Germany than by making clear that the hope of the German people, as of the United States, is the smashing of the German autocracy. A free Germany, taking her place with the democratic nations, now united, against the Hohenzollern incubus will be a far greater Germany than her fanatics of power without popular control or moral obligation ever dreamed.—[New York Times.

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LOCAL MENTION.

—Service at St. James church this morning at 10:30.

—At the regular meeting of the L. C. B. A., held last evening, the declaration of loyalty and support of our government addressed to the president of the United States was signed by all the members present, while the organist played the Star Spangled Banner and other patriotic airs.

—The Easter excursion to Washington, for some time advertised, will be run today, the excursionists leaving this city on the 9:45 a. m. train for Albany. Up to this time tickets for eight excursionists have been sold here and it is probable from inquiries made that there will be at least 20 who will make the trip from Oneonta.

Meetings Today.

All Rebekahs are invited to meet at the Odd Fellows' hall this evening at 7 o'clock, to attend the special meeting at the First Baptist church.

Good Friday services, communion and reception of new members tonight at 7:15, in Chapin Memorial church.

There will be a meeting of the Child's Welfare committee of the Woman's club in the club rooms at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Rehearsals for the children of the Kindergarten department of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will be held in the church Friday and Saturday at 4 p. m.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society in the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the home of Mrs. L. M. Westcott, 89 Elm street, today, Friday, from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. Election of officers. Leader, Mrs. Lulu Walker.

CAPTAIN AUGUSTIN COMING.

Seeks Recruits for Company G in Home City and County.

Captain G. W. Augustin of the regimental staff is expected to arrive in Oneonta this evening accompanied by Sergeant Royce. He will spend Saturday in Cooperstown examining the men who recently were secured there as auxiliary to Company G and Captain Parish expects to reach here to swear the men in on Sunday morning.

This will permit Captain Augustin to be in this city on Sunday and that morning he will examine at the state armory all unmarried men of military age who may desire to enlist and do their part in the war. Now is the time for the young men of the city and vicinity to display their patriotism and do their bit for their country. The First regiment is composed of young men from interior New York and all volunteers will find it very congenial to be associated with this organization. It is hoped that there will be many responses to this call for volunteers.

City Schools Close.

The public schools of the city closed yesterday afternoon for the Easter vacation, which will continue till Monday morning, April 16. Most of the teachers at the High school and in the various grade schools about the city will spend their vacations at their respective homes and many of them departed on late trains yesterday. Miss Adams and Miss Peck of the High school faculty will spend their vacation in Washington, D. C., and leave today for the capital with friends.

Morris Road and Tar Treatment.

The state proposes to put tar, hot and cold, on the Morris-Gilbertsville road. Yes sir, that's what it needs this morning—or a suspension bridge. Yesterday on several stretches of the road automobiles and trucks got stalled and but for their broad bodies would probably have disappeared into the earth. A thorough coating of heavy oil, put on hot, will no doubt correct all this!—[Chronicle.

For Easter.

Today and Saturday a special display of Easter millinery of our own design. Just received, a beautiful line of patterns. We invite you to come and inspect them. Prices from $3.50 to $18.50. Nok located over Colburn's clothing store, right across from our old location. Mrs. C. F. Baker advt 2t

The Woman's club have offered their rooms as headquarters for Red Cross work. All ladies wishing to do work there, or at home, will be furnished with material and instructions. This was thought a better plan than to leave supplies at private homes. The rooms will be open every Monday evening from 7 until 9 o'c. advt 1t

Do not fail to see Graham Brothers' truck, sold by the Oneonta Sales company. You will not be disappointed as the job is complete with body and top at a price of $550 f. o. b. factory, a saving of from $75 to $125. Read the large, three column advertisement in this issue of The Star. Advt. 1t

Queen Esther circle of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a candy sale, in front of Brown & Turner's store, Saturday, April 7. Those furnishing candy please leave at the store not later than 11 o'c. Advt 1t

War

Will be far from the thoughts of those who attend the Hamilton Musical club's concert tomorrow evening. Tickets $1.00, including dancing. Advt. 1t

All Odd Fellows are requested to meet at Odd Fellows' hall, Friday evening at 7 o'clock, to attend a special meeting at the First Baptist church. By order Noble Grand. ad 1t

Violets, roses, carnations, daffodils, tulips and a beautiful display of potted plants at the Grove street greenhouses. Phone 1047-J. advt 2t

MOTOR SHOW A SUCCESS

ATTENDANCE GRATIFYINGLY LARGE ON OPENING NIGHT DESPITE THE STORM.

Showing of Cars Equals That of Much Larger Cities and Crowd Find Pleasure In Inspecting the Various Models—Show Continues Today and Tomorrow.

Oneonta's first automobile show is an assured success and from the evident interest manifested last evening, the opening night, both by visitors and the dealers, it is well nigh certain to become an annual event. The large drill hall is well filled, leaving a small space, comparatively, for the dancing, and the booths are well and attractively arranged with booths in the center and others arranged on three sides, the booths there being about 30 feet in depth with a street extending around the central booths and providing a front for the booths at the side. The attendance last evening, considering the weather and it being the first night was large and all spectators were quite enthusiastic in approval of the show. Unfortunately the decorations, which Mr. Kelly had assurances were shipped several days ago by express, have not arrived, and a determined effort is being made to locate them with a possibility they have gone to Oneida or some other similar place. It is hoped that they will arrive today. However, with the aid of bunting and national colors, the interior has been made attractive and with the showing of cars, and accessories of all kinds there is much to interest.

Arthur M. Butts, Oneonta's veteran dealer, who drew seventh choice, is along the west side of the building, where he has an excellent assortment of medium priced cars. He declares that the day of fancy prices when one can buy good cars without the large outlay is past except for the men of abundant means. The Chandler, which he has featured for the past few years, is shown in a seven-passenger six selling at $1,395 f. o. b. factory, while a four-passenger roadster of the same make at the same price is attractive. The Oldsmobile Eight, seven-passenger touring, is declared a big value for the money, $1,367 at the factory. He is still partial to the Oakland, of which he shows three models, an Eight, a touring Six and a six-cylinder roadster, the prices being $1,625, $875 and at $1,080. He also is displaying the Maxwell at $635, always well made. He is displaying also a Vim grocer's delivery truck with capacity for 1,500 pounds at $745. Outside the building the heavier Federal truck, one of two-ton capacity, is exhibited. Mr. Butts also has a line of accessories, including tires and also Victrolas. He is calling attention to his large assortment of used cars on display at his salesroom at 254 Main street.

Fred N. VanWie occupies the rear of the central section with his three leaders well displayed. He has the popular Cole Eight for 1917 with its new water jacketed carburetor and the latest Delco system and its other new features, which attracts much attention. Two of these are displayed, the seven passenger touring and the four-passenger roadster. He is also calling attention to the features of the new Velie, with a newly designed Continental motor and an improved Stromberg carburetor, which sells at $1,185, with 25 per cent additional horse power. He has three models of the Grant, all Sixes, the five-passen-

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STRAND TODAY.

Patria and Little Lost Sister Make Powerful Combination.

The second episode of Patria with Mrs. Vernon Castle takes us into the very heart of the story and shows some of the workings of foreign spies in the United States.

"Little Lost Sister," Virginia Brooks' enthralling drama, deals with a question that is as old as the ages. The drama also conveys a good moral lesson and also brings vividly to mind that Biblical adage namely, "He that is without sin among you let him cast the first stone at her!"

The drama seeks to present conditions as they are, to deal delicately, but no less powerfully, with an all-absorbing question. What shall be done with the Little Lost Sisters?

H. C. Whitcomb wishes to announce that he has moved his grocery store from River street to 18 Dietz, and will carry a full line of groceries, vegetables and fruit. For Easter trade, will have strawberries, pineapple, lettuce, radishes, green onions, asparagus, sweet potatoes, etc. Phone 507. advt 2t

Warm Sugar Social.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church will sold a warm sugar social, today in L. W. Hayner's store, stop 6 on trolley.

Call Firemen's dance at Municipal hall Thursday evening, April 12. Music by Wolcott's orchestra. Tickets, 50 cents each can be had of call firemen. advt 6t

Hud-son holds all worth-while records—endurance, speed, acceleration, power. At the show. Stevens Hardware Company, Inc. advt 1t

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Marcel waving, dyeing and bleaching. Miss O'Donnell, Keyes building, Elm street. Phone 746-J. advt 2t

Fine hot cross buns at Nye's bakery for breakfast, dinner and supper. advt 1t

Don't fail to see the Indian motor cycles and bicycles at the Auto show. Earl V. Fritts. advt 2t

Ira S. Sweet, practical horsesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, May 1, Eagle, Norwich, May 3. advt tf

HOME DEFENSE COMMITTEE

Named Yesterday by Request of Governor Whitman for Otsego County.

In compliance with a circular letter sent out on Wednesday by Governor Whitman to all counties of the state, County Judge Kellogg, Chairman Frank M. Smith of the Board of Supervisors and Acting Mayor Ceperley of Oneonta met yesterday afternoon at the county court chambers for the purpose of naming a Home Defense committee for the county of Otsego. Careful consideration of personal qualifications and geographical location was had and the following well-qualified men were named as members of the committee:

William T. Weldon, Richfield Springs.
George B. Crippen, Worcester.
Andrew E. Ceperley, Oneonta.
Laverne P. Butts, Oneonta.
William T. Hyde, Cooperstown.
Fitch Gilbert jr., Gilbertsville.
U. G. Welch, Edmeston.

The committee will meet in the county court chambers in this city at 11 a. m. on Saturday of this week for the purpose of organization, after which more definite announcement of plans will no doubt be made.

The purposes of the committee as outlined by the governor, are to co-ordinate under an authoritative head the control of the census of the military resources of the county as well as the direction of work of military preparation; the organization of Home Defense corps with a special view to maintaining order at home, the stimulating of recruiting in the state guard, the encouragement of enlistment in the army and navy and co-operation in all forms of charitable, patriotic and preparedness efforts. All these matters will no doubt be taken into consideration at the first meeting of the excellent committee which yesterday was named.

HAMILTON MUSICAL CLUBS.

Give Entertainment of Unusual Merit in Oneonta Saturday Evening.

The vocal quartet is one of the biggest features of the Hamilton College Musical clubs, which appear in Oneonta on Saturday of this week. This quartet has sung together for three years and has appeared in nearly every city and town of central New York. It is composed of A. C. Woolnough of Dion, who appeared in the city with the Charlatans, the college dramatic organization, two years ago, William Calkins of Rochester, Clayton B. Weed of Newburgh and W. Leslie Lewis of Clinton, son of Calvin L. Lewis, who is professor of oratory at Hamilton. Competent musical critics claim that these four men constitute the best college quartet in the east. They have worked up a "line" of melody for the coming concerts that is sure to please their audiences.

The Utica Daily Press had the following to say about a recent appearance of the quartet in Utica: "Utica is partial to college men—especially Hamilton college men. The proof lies in the crowd that packed the armory last night and made College day another smasher in the big auto week. It required real effort to get through the Auto show last night, for the aisles were mighty full and the crowd did not want to 'step forward please' at all. No, it wanted to stand still and listen to the smiling, good-looking boys in dress suits, who sang from the gallery above the songs, that have made them famous at college. And the big crowd was not at all backward about coming forward on that appreciation stuff. The quartet was down for maybe a half-dozen numbers for the entire day, but their encores pulled the thing up to a dozen instead. The quartet was absolutely unable to tear itself loose from the crowd. Every appearance meant three songs at the least, and sometimes more. And the boys were not a bit niggardly about their talent either. They sang in happy, care-free fashion, and joshed the visitors along as they did it."

Lyman H. Howe Today.

How the problem of centuries—the discovery of the Antarctic continent by Sir Douglas Mawson—was solved, will be portrayed by Lyman H. Howe at the Oneonta theatre today, matinee and evening, in the most remarkable reproduction ever secured. It is a revelation of what it means to penetrate into regions where no man has trodden since the dawn of creation. To witness these scenes coming from the depths of the desolate polar regions is not merely a liberal education in itself, but at the same time a source of genuine entertainment. Throughout the film the world's funniest comedians—penguins and baby seals—freely contribute comedy that is simply irresistible and a humor that is all the more rich and rare because it is so natural.

The tranquil glory of Yosemite National park will also be shown with its wonderful vegetation and crystal rivers plunging over precipices nearly a mile high, while folds of spray glitter in the sunlight like a veil of diamonds.

The daring of automobile drivers racing their cars up the steep grades and around the perilous curves of Giant's Despair, at Wilkes Barre, Pa., forms still another of many subjects too numerous to mention, and merry-making cartoons will appear early and often to the delight of Howe's audiences, who always welcome their clever and lively antics.

Normal School Boarding List.

All people who plan to offer accommodations for Normal students and wish to have their names appear on the new list to be issued in May for 1917-1918, and summer session of 1917 should send name and address by postal card to A. M. Curtis, 84 Maple street before April 15. Please do not use the telephone. advt 5t

Better fill up while we have it. We believe coal will continue to be scarce. Phone 340. Platt & Howland. 4-6 Market street. advt 3t

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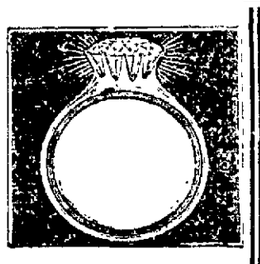

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The GOOD FAIRY is in our show window and the price is $1.00 each and can be mailed anywhere, postage extra.

We have just unpacked two new designs in English Dinner Sets that were bought about one year ago, before the big advance came. They are extra good values. We still have a few of those 42 Piece Dinner Sets at $3.25 each. Just the thing for small families.

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PERSONALS.

Harold Y. Dayton of Stamford was an Oneonta business visitor yesterday.

Mrs. W. A. Hillburn of Hill place in this city, spent Thursday with friends in Unadilla.

Edwin R. Moore of Hamilton college arrived home last night for the Easter vacation.

Mrs. Oliver Harris was called to Otego yesterday by the continued illness of Albert Harris.

Mrs. Leon Langdon of East Worcester was in the city on business and shopping errands yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel H. Potter and sister, Miss Tanner, accompanied by Miss Elsie Potter, spent Thursday in Binghamton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Holdredge of Laurens were in Oneonta yesterday on their way to visit their son, Neil, in New York over Easter.

A. A. Reid jr. of Ithaca arrived home yesterday afternoon and will spend a short time with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Reid.

J. A. Patton and Mrs. J. S. Lamb left last evening for Binghamton, where they were summoned by the serious illness of W. E. Patton.

Mrs. H. D. Arbuckle of Unadilla arrived in the city yesterday afternoon for a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bell, of Franklin street.

Miss Evelyn Francisco of Downsville, who is a teacher at Tuxedo Park, visited friends at the Oneonta Normal this week returning home yesterday.

Mrs. James Tucker of Albany, who had been visiting Mrs. Byron Chesebro on Academy street, left yesterday for a brief visit in Binghamton before returning home.

Mrs. John Hiscox and sons, William and Henry, of Stamford, were in Oneonta yesterday on their way to Cobleskill, where they will be guests for the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Keyser.

Miss Ruth Stebbins, who is instructor in the High school at Corinth, arrived in Oneonta early this morning and will spend the Easter vacation with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Westcott.

The many friends of Dr. A. H. Brownell will be pleased to know that he is making a good recovery at his home in this city. For a short time longer, however, the office will be in charge of his son, Dr. Morton E. Brownell.

Miss Edith Riley of 9 Hudson street, who suffered an attack of typhoid fever at the time of the Christmas vacation and has since been recuperating at home, left yesterday for Tuxedo Park, where next Monday she resumes her work as teacher in the public schools.

Mrs. C. Roy Jones, formerly Miss Marjorie Howe, has resigned her position with the Otsego and Delaware Telephone company, having been stenographer the past five years, for W. H. Fluhrer. She left yesterday to join her husband in Dallas, Texas. Her mother, Mrs. Florence Howe, will join her in the fall, remaining for the present in Oneonta, at 5 Gault avenue.

Dan Sherman of the United States at large and more specifically of Sherman Lake in the town of Davenport, was in Oneonta yesterday with all the members of the Jay Circus company, which has had an excellent season on the road. The company finished a very successful engagement in Binghamton on Wednesday and yesterday morning made quick time for the lake and its attendant attractions.

Funeral of Mrs. Ingalls.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John C. Ingalls was held from the family home at 97 Chestnut street yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Hall, the family pastor, conducting the service, which were brief. The body was placed in the vault at the Plains mausoleum and the services of the Woman's Relief corps were rendered there with Mrs. C. J. Westcott in charge. It was very impressive. The bearers were Wilbur Bradley, Benjamin Jane, Leroy Pratt and William Brown, comrades of Mr. Ingalls. Among the friends here in attendance from away were Charles Ingalls of Bedford, Ind., and John Ingalls of Binghamton.

Births.

Born, to Mr and Mrs. William J. Gleason, 91½ Washington street, Thursday, April 5, a son.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank all friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness extended us during the illness and death of our loved one, also for the beautiful floral pieces from friends and the W. C. W. and the Cradle Roll of the West End mission.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall and Family.

To the residents and property owners on Maple street and Elm street, and all others whom it may concern, take notice. The Board of Public Works of this city will hold a public hearing Tuesday evening, April 10, 1917, at 8 p. m., in the Common Council room, Municipal building, for the purpose of discussing the matter of paving the above named streets with Willite. Board of Public Works. advt 3t By Sheldon H. Close, Clerk.

Water Rents Now Due.

Water rents are due and payable at the office of the company in the Wilber National bank for 20 days beginning April 1, 1917 without commission. Office open during banking hours and evenings from 7 to 8. advt 17t

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A HELPING HAND FROM FAR-AWAY

Liberal Gift at Right Time Should Inspire to Local Giving.

"Dear Sir: I understand you are in charge of a fund for families of men who are doing military service. Please see that the enclosed gets into the fund, and cover up the tracks so that no one knows how it got there."

The above is a communication received a short time ago by Roscoe C. Briggs, who is the treasurer of the committee in charge of the Company G relief fund. In compliance with the request of its writer, who formerly resided here and, who, though his present home is outside any town where there is a military company, feels none the less a personal obligation, his name is not divulged. But it may at least be stated that the "enclosed" above referred to was a check; and that it was for $50.

The committee which was greatly encouraged by this generous helping hand from far away, prints the letter and makes the announcement of the gift in the belief that it will encourage citizens of Oneonta to further contributions for this important work. The continued term of service—longer perhaps than was anticipated at the time the men were called out, the prospect that for an unknown period longer the company will be in the field, and the fact that even in a comparatively short period the cost of living has greatly increased makes further contributions imperative to meet the expenditures which at an early date must be made. It ventures, therefore, to urge our own citizens to emulate the example above given, by making immediate contributions of such sums as they are able.

The amount asked is not gauged by the gift referred to. It may be larger or smaller—very much larger or smaller — according to conditions. Let each give as able, but at once to the end that the committee may have funds to carry on its work. Of this all donors may feel assured — that every dollar received will be expended judiciously. Send money or check to Owen C. Becker, chairman, or to Roscoe C. Briggs, treasurer, and by so doing help to carry on a work which more than anything else in Oneonta, makes a direct personal appeal.

RESERVES DECISION.

Hearing In Case of C. Lewis Williams Held in County Court Chambers.

A hearing as to determination of liability for injuries to C. Lewis Williams while engaged in work on the Oneonta-Morris state highway late in October last year, was held in the county court chambers yesterday before Deputy Commissioner Rooney of the State Workmen's Compensation commission.

Mr. Smith of Carlisle, Ainsworth and Sutherland appeared for the bonding company which is completing the highway construction and Mr. Williams was represented by Owen C. Becker esq.

The defendants in the action, the bonding company, set up two claims as basis for refusal to pay compensation for the injuries. First, that Williams was not injured while employed in his regular occupation and second that he disobeyed specific directions.

One witness, Mr. Ryan of the Keystone Excavator company, was sworn by the bonding company. The tendency of his testimony was to show that Williams had disobeyed orders as to movements about the excavator.

Five witnesses were examined for the plaintiff, Williams. Nelson A. Porter, a fellow employe on the work, testified that he heard the foreman direct Williams to sift some ashes into the friction gear, and that while Williams was thus engaged he was caught in a shaft and received the injuries from which he nearly lost his life.

This testimony was corroborated by James Cook, who testified that just after the accident Ryan rushed up to him and said that he had told Williams to sift ashes into the friction gear and that he had got caught in the shaft and had been killed.

Dr. Latcher of Oneonta and Dr. Rockwell of Morris testified to the condition of Williams after the accident. They asserted that he had a compound fracture of the right elbow and that he had lost permanently the use of that arm. That his injuries also included a fracture of the left femur which had been twice reduced, but which had failed to unite, and that an operation would have to be performed for freshening the bone and another union attempted, that Williams had also sustained three fractured ribs.

Commissioner Rooney reserved decision and directed Williams to appear at Albany on Wednesday, April 11, for a further medical examination by the commission surgeons to determine whether or not he is permanently disabled.

For Sale—A new 1917 Cole eight, model 860, fully equipped with wire wheels, extra tire and clock, has been run 1,800 miles. A new car equipped as above sells April first for $1,795. For particulars call at store of Carr & Hull. advt tf

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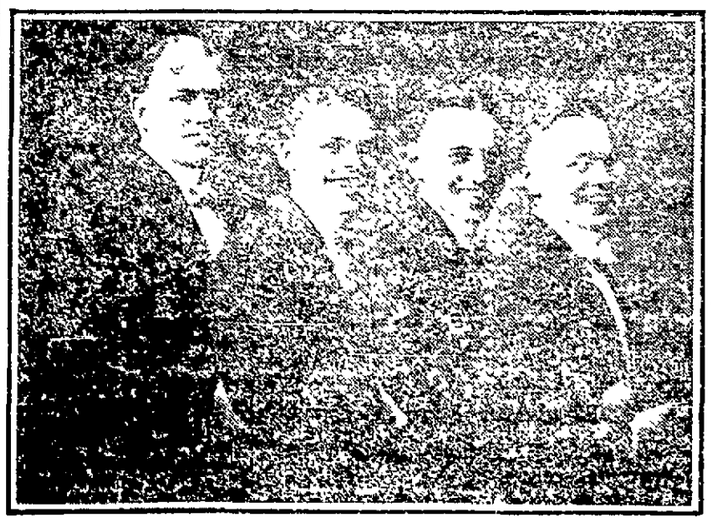

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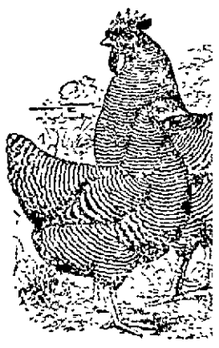

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TO LET—Second floor with all improvements. Inquire 75 Maple street. Phone 752-J.

FOR RENT—Half of double house at 352 Main street. Range, bath and electric lights. Inquire 354 Main street.

TO RENT—Half a double house, $10. Phone 1048-J, or call Columbia street store.

TO RENT—House at 36 Cherry street, upper and lower flat. All new paint and paper. Inquire 47 Ford avenue.

TO RENT—House 21 Forest avenue. Inquire S. H. Close, Municipal building. Phone 27-W.

LOANS.

LOANS MADE on good security. Levey, 264 Main street.

MONEY TO LOAN—On improved city real estate. Inquire of Owen C. Becker.

HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED—House and two to five acres of land in or near small railroad town. A., care Star.

ONE CENT A WORD

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One Norris & Hyde player piano, after April 15. Party leaving town. Apply 57 Maple street.

FOR SALE—Bakery and store with living rooms. A good location on Main street, a good business, the only bakery in town. Address or phone, G. H. Jobson, Pelhi.

FOR SALE—Twenty-five acre farm, good buildings. Inquire of Frank Morrell, upper West street.

FOR SALE—A fine Cadillac roadster, in first class mechanical condition. Guaranteed. No reasonable offer refused. Sterling Tire Service Co., phone 593-J.

FOR SALE—1915 five passenger Buick car, electric lights and starter, bargain for quick buyer. George L. Winans.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Good house, with furnace and garage, 59 Valleyview street. Inquire L. W. Russell, 16 Luther street.

FOR SALE—Thirty horses, bought direct from the farmers of Iowa, all ready for work, weight 1,000 to 1,300 pounds. Twenty good second-hand horses. One hundred sixty head of cattle, a large number of them are fresh and forward springers. E. L. Foote, Hobart, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Long established retail business in Oneonta. Stock and fixtures inventory at toward $4,000. H. M. Bard & Son, Investments, 8 Broad street.

FOR SALE—Block containing store and two modern flats; has cement cellar, furnace, electric lights; barn and building site on lot; corner Murdock avenue and Chestnut street; growing section of Oneonta on main road to Binghamton. A chance to do all the business you care to do in groceries, ice cream, auto supplies; have a standard gasoline pump station at curb. Will be sold at a bargain by owner. I. W. Huyner.

FOR SALE—One cook stove and 35 Leghorn hens, 85 Ford avenue, Oneonta.

FOR SALE—Small house on Lower River street. Price $2,600; $500 down and balance on easy terms. Also desirable house and lot on Center street. For price and terms inquire of Arthur Butts.

FOR SALE—Pair of small horses, young, sound and kind, single or double, good roadsters or workers, a bargain if sold in 30 days or will exchange for Ford Touring car in good condition. J. C. Hyatt, Farmers phone, Otego, N. Y.

TOM BARRON single comb White Leghorn chicks and eggs for sale after April 1. Custom hatching in Hall Mammoth incubator. C. F. Ingoldsby, Hartwick Seminary, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Six foot show case with three sliding doors; computing scale, good as new, weighs to 25 pounds; 20 foot awning, nearly new. Bargains on what is left of general merchandise this week. Special discounts job lots. Cash. C. C. Stevens, Davenport Center.

FOR SALE—Two Jersey heifers, due to freshen in May. George Quackenbush, R. D. No. 3.

FOR SALE—My farm of 20 acres, running through one of the best flats from Oneonta to Otego; suitable for truck or poultry farming and beautifully located. Good buildings. Eight cows, calf and farming tools sold with place if desired. Two miles from Oneonta city limits on State road and R. D. J. W. Shiland, Otego, N. Y., R. D. No. 2.

FOR SALE—Hillside stock and hop farm of 280 acres, 2 1-2 miles from Portlandville, large basement barn, 2 silos, good house with modern improvements, tenement house; one of the best dairy and hop farms in the county; in high state of cultivation; also a large house and lot in the village of Milford; modern improvements, good barn, excellent location. These places must be sold to close an estate. L. H. Rider, Milford, N. Y., executor of C. E. Colburn estate.

BABY CHICKS—White and brown Leghorns, from selected, heavy laying hens. Price right. Bell phone. Sunnyvale Farm, Otego, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Pair of black horses, weight 2,400, right in every harness. J. D. Hall, Davenport, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Double crypt in Oneonta Plains mausoleum, or will exchange for automobile. Phone 131-W.

FOR SALE—Three thousand concrete cellar blocks, rock face and cobblestone face blocks. Van Woert & Thayer. Phone 598-J.

FOR SALE—Overland roadster, good condition, new tires, cheap for cash. Inquire Francis Motor Sales Co., corner Main and Elm streets.

FOR SALE—A Frick portable sawmill, cable drive, quick receding head blocks, taper movement, three good saws, blower, slab saw, good belts, 36 H. P. boiler, 25 H. P. engine, all in good condition; reason for selling, am going out of the business. L. R. Stanton, No. 1 R. D., Worcester, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Fifty tons No. 1 timothy hay. Horace Harrison, R. D. 2, Oneonta, trolley stop 12.

EGGS—From single comb White Leghorns that are No. 1 in size and production, $5.00 per hundred. M. H. Baker, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE—New house, all improvements, Brook street, $2,600. Fine new house, Spruce street, all improvements, electric lights, furnace, hard wood trim, large lot, $3,200. Dandy place, Chestnut street, improvements, $2,400. New house and henhouses and five acres land, near Oneonta, a bargain if sold at once. Dandy new house, centrally located, all modern improvements, a big bargain, $3,400. Phone 21-J. Fred N. VanWie, 11 Dietz street.

FOR SALE—New Pope motorcycle, only $100. Call Francis Motor Sales Co., corner Main and Elm streets.

FOR SALE—At a bargain price. Concord rubber tired wagon, acetylene gas plant, including pipes and fixtures. L. C. Colburn, Milford, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Fifty-five acres flat land near Colliers, a good portion fine potato, corn or wheat ground. Quick sale, $600. W. W. Caulkins, 12 Broad street.

FOR SALE—Many good houses in the city at moderate prices. Good farms for sale. W. W. Caulkins, 12 Broad street.

HORSE FOR SALE—Bargain. Inquire H. W. Hyland, Boston store, 144 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y.

FARMS—For sale or exchange. All sizes, from a few acres up to 850 acres. Some of the best dairy farms in Otsego, Delaware and Chenango counties. All kinds of poultry and truck gardening places. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Two family house, Valley View street, $1,500. Two family house Main street, $4,100. Two family house High street, $3,000. Seven room house with all modern improvements Tilton avenue $3,500. Seven room house with all modern improvements Ford avenue, $3,600. Nearly new eight room house with extra lot near Normal school, $1,700. House with good barn, extra lot, Center street, $1,700. Extra large nice house on Maple street. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y. Phone 7-R.

ONE CENT A WORD

FOR SALE—A feed business with a large trade. Consider house in Oneonta in exchange. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE—On account of failing health I offer my trucking business, established 16 years ago, for sale. S. B. Borst, 402 Main street.

FOR SALE—The finest camp house on Goodyear lake. B. E. Swart, Windsor hotel.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House at 25 Grand street. J. A. Dewar.

FOR SALE—At a bargain price, on $700 payment, balance to suit purchaser, the Silvernail place at 5 Reynolds avenue, which is a very central location. It has a garden, place for chickens, slate roof, seven rooms and bath, furnace, gas range, coal range and gas lights. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

I HAVE SEVERAL good bargains in real estate in all parts of the city. Easy terms. If interested, call A. J. Hooknout, phone 211-J.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Two linotype operators who can set a clean proof. Wire or phone at once. The Batavia Times Publishing Co., Batavia, N. Y. Bell phone 290-W.

WANTED—Lady or young man to solicit. Good opening for right party. Call Friday morning after 8 o'clock. The People's Repair shop, 23 Dietz.

WANTED—If you are looking for a fast selling automobile specialty, see Mr. Glave at the Oneonta from 11:30-2 Friday.

WANTED—A grocery clerk. Only one who has had experience and can give good reference need apply. Address clerk, care of Star.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. A. W. Carr, 43 Ford avenue.

WANTED—Experienced man to run steam roller for the town of Meredith. E. E. Beavan, town superintendent.

WANTED—Nurse girl to assist with housework. Phone 3-F3.

WANTED—At once. Competent girl for general housework. Apply mornings. Mrs. Frank D. Miller, 300 Main street.

WANTED—At once, experienced help to do sewing for tailor. Charles Swoboda, 13 Dietz street.

WANTED—Middle aged woman for general housework in family of three. No washings. Address F, care Star.

WANTED—A man to drive team and work around saw mill. A. J. Tubbs, Maryland, N. Y.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm, must be good milker and buttermaker. House furnished. References required. Apply J. S. Lunn, 246 Main.

COMPETENT HELP of every kind wanted. Phone 1096. Employment and Utility bureau, 176 Main street.

WANTED—Good, steady girl to work by the day. Gloversville Knitting company, 80 Main street.

GIRLS WANTED—To operate knitting machines. Beginners taught and paid while learning. Good pay and steady work guaranteed. Gloversville Knitting Co.

WANTED—Two men for sugar making; also man for the season. F. W. Hanford, East Meridith.

WORK WANTED.

KEY FITTING and lock repairing on short notice. The People's Repair Shop, 23 Dietz.

EXPERIENCED chauffeur would like position for summer. Can do repair work. H., care Star.

WANTED—Shoes and harness to repair. The People's Repair shop, 23 Dietz.

EXPERIENCED creamery man wishes good steady employment. E., care Star.

AND STILL they come. Bibycles to repair and enamel. The People's Repair shop.

EXPERIENCED SERVICE — For trees, lawns, gardens. Cleaning, repairing, etc. Phone 1052-W.

WANTED—Furniture to repair and refinish. The People's Repair shop, 23 Dietz street.

MAN AND WIFE want position as cooks, or steward and cook or care takers. Reference. Address George W. Watts, 176 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y.

WANTED—Horses to clip, at Coy's livery, Dietz street.

WINDOWS, RUGS, and cleaning of all kinds. Phone 1096. Help of all kinds supplied. Employment and Utility Bureau, 176 Main street.

WANTED—Rubbers, rubber boots and overshoes to repair and tap with vulcanizer. W. S. Foord, 42 Main street.

WANTED—Pictures to frame. Ward's Art Shop, 149 Main street.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED—92 Center street. Mrs. H. Kenyon. Phone 1024-W2.

WORK WANTED—Phone 801 W—Robiee, the painter, for painting and papering.

WANTED—Sewing to do at home. Children's clothing a specialty. 27 Columbia street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ANTIQUE FURNITURE and dishes. Will buy and sell. Mrs. H. D. McInaury, 17 Spring street.

REMEMBER the old reliable "Economy" Rug Co. of Syracuse. Rugs made from old carpet. Represented by S. B. Borst.

EXCHANGE—Five passenger car in nice order for good building lot. Van Woert & Thayer. Phone 598-J.

RUGS—From old carpets. Send your order before the spring rush sets in and be assured of prompt service. Wagner Rug Works, Seneca Falls, N. Y., formerly of Syracuse. Local representative, Charles Gilday, 11½ Washington street, Oneonta, N. Y.

MARKET PRICE paid for old gold. Levey, 264 Main street.

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—D. & H. mileage book. Owner may have same by calling at F. E. Hone's and paying for this advertisement.

LOST—In Oneonta March 3, a brown opossum muff. Finder will please leave at this office. Howard Bundy.

LOST—Probably in Oneonta, Thursday, D. & H. mileage book, name S. G. Bundy in book. Please return to owner at Otego.

LOST—American beagle hound, brown with black spots on ears. Answers to name of Tip. Ray Crandall, 360 Chestnut street.

ONE CENT A WORD

FURNISHED ROOMS.

TO RENT—Front room for one or two ladies. All conveniences. 85 Spruce street or phone 119-W.

ROOMS TO RENT—13 Church street. Phone 519-J.

FURNISHED ROOMS—For light housekeeping, 3 Reynolds avenue.

TO RENT—Furnished room with all conveniences. Inquire 25 Spruce street.

FURNISHED ROOMS — For light housekeeping, with bath, 14 Columbia street.

TO RENT—Suite of rooms on first floor, all improvements. Central location. Dr. J. P. Elliott.

FURNISHED FLAT—To rent for housekeeping. 14 Center street.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. $3.00 a week, 14 Center street.

STORAGE.

CLEAN, DRY STORAGE TO RENT—A. H. Murdock, Market street.

STORAGE—Dry, clean storage for household goods at reasonable rates. H. W. Lee, Star office.

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by Mrs. W. S. Marsland. Women who join the club now will not only receive the benefit of the full year's work, beginning in July, but the April, May and June demonstrations as well.

Miss Freer's demonstration, to which the club voted to invite the public, will not occur until the May meeting.

I. O. O. F. Hold Meeting.

The first meeting held by Fellowship lodge, I. O. O. F., in their new hall, was held last evening. The rooms present a most pleasing appearance and are up-to-date in every way.

Earnest Workers Gather Papers.

The Earnest Workers of the Presbyterian church desire to get another load of papers and magazines during the month. If you have any to contribute please bring them to the church or notify Bertha Jennings, Mrs. A. W. Bailey or Mrs. Mary Baldwin, and they will be called for.

Methodist Mention.

The pastor will preach at both services on Sunday. The Lord's supper will be administered in the morning. All desiring baptism or to unite with the church will please be present at the morning service. This will be the last Sunday before conference, at which time the report of the solicitors for next year will be given, with other reports for the present year.

The address on Sunday evening by Mrs. Elizabeth Burdette proved of exceptional interest and was listened to by a large congregation. She paid a just tribute to our own flag and its meaning, praying for universal peace. Mrs. Burdette has a pleasing voice and personality.

The Epworth league will serve supper and have a general social time at the church on Friday. Supper will be served beginning at 5:30 o'clock. Price of supper 25 cents.

High School Adopts Pledge.

A committee of three, Dorothy VanDerwerken, Pauline Fuller and Harold Ferris, on Monday drew up a pledge of loyalty to their flag and country, which was signed by the entire faculty and student body.

L. T. L. to Meet.

Loyal Temperance legion will meet with Mrs. E. H. Browne, Friday, immediately after school.

Two Basketball Games Saturday.

Saturday evening there will be two basketball games in Fuller's Opera house at 8 o'clock sharp. The first will be between the Oneonta Braves and the Otego Juniors; the other between the Otego Juveniles and the Single Men. Admission, 10 and 15 cents.

VISTAS OF MT. VISION.

Regular Meeting of Grange To Be Held This Evening.

Mt. Vision, April 5.—The next regular grange meeting will be held Friday evening, April 6. Each member is requested to bring a slip of paper on which is written his or her idea of a good program for the lecture hour.

Meeting Alethea Society.

The Alethea society will meet with Mrs. George Fowlston next Tuesday. The day has been changed from Wednesday to Tuesday on account of Epworth league meeting at conference. A 10-cent dinner will be served. Gentlemen will receive a cordial welcome.

Purchase Property.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckley have purchased the property owned by S. M. Brown here, which the grange gave in part payment for the old hotel.

News Notes of Interest.

Miss Dorothy Spoor is spending part of her vacation with her parents in Mohawk. — William Benjamin of Schenectady is spending part of the week at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Melville Shove. — Mrs. Charles Ackley and daughter, Ada, were business callers in Oneonta Tuesday.

ANNIVERSARY SURPRISE.

For Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pratt of Elk Creek Friday Evening.

Elk Creek, April 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pratt were very pleasantly surprised last Friday evening when 40 of their friends and neighbors gathered at their home to assist them in celebrating their twentieth wedding anniversary. The evening was passed with games and after a substantial repast was served, Ira Tipple presented Mr. and Mrs. Pratt with a purse of money as a token of esteem of those assembled. The guests departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Pratt many returns of the day.

Echoes from Elk Creek.

Miss Carolyn Tipple of Schenevus has been a guest at A. B. Stillwell's and Curry Palmer's for a few days.—Webster Chase of Cooperstown and Mildred Bell of Worcester were week-end guests at G. W. Chase's. — Mrs. Sarah Patrick has returned home after spending the winter in Jamaica, L. I., with her daughter, Mrs. Scott Youman's. — Mr. and Mrs. Grover Chase, Mrs. G. W. Chase and Mrs. Floyd Perry were in Oneonta Thursday. — Miss Allie Fox of Binghamton has been visiting at the home of her grandfather, Norman Nellis, for a few days. — Mr. and Mrs. Jackson VanWie of Schenevus were Sunday guests at Jesse Bradley's. — C. W. Patrick and family spent Saturday in Oneonta. — Menzo Best and Eva Hughes were in Worcester Friday to attend teachers' meeting. — Frank Green of Westville was a pleasant caller at Thomas Howley's Saturday. — Gibson Badeau spent Sunday in Laurens with his daughter, Mrs. Ceylon Peaslee. — Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Knapp and son, Fred, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howley were in Oneonta Wednesday. —There will be a special meeting of the grange Friday evening of this week for the purpose of instructing four candidates in the third and fourth degrees.

SAID IN SCHENEVUS.

Easter Sunday to Be Fittingly Observed in Methodist Church.

Schenevus, April 5. — Easter will be observed with appropriate services at the Methodist church next Sunday morning. Special music by the choir will include the anthem, "Christ is Risen," by Ashford.

The Sunday school is preparing a special Easter program to be rendered at the usual hour of its session.

Turner-Bruce.

Married at the Methodist parsonage Wednesday afternoon, April 4, Harry Turner of Davenport and Miss Ida Bruce of Fergusonville.

Rheumatism and Rheumatic Pains yield to Sal-oda

Rheumatism takes several different forms; such as Lumbago, Sciatica, Inflammatory and Muscular Rheumatism, and are all results of the same cause.

People who have suffered for years with rheumatism, in either the chronic or acute form, have been relieved of the dread disease by taking Sal-oda, the powerful remedy, made especially to counteract and destroy the poison which causes rheumatism.

Sal-Oda is a harmless remedy, but very powerful in its action, and is absorbed by the blood and thus carried to the rheumatic parts and immediately attacks the disease.

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TIME TABLE OF
IN EFFECT SEPTEMBER 10, 1916.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows:
*7:20 a. m., s1:15, *3:12 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows:
**11:20, s11:55 a. m., 6:45 p. m.
* Daily except Sunday. s Sunday only.

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YOU WILL NOT "LOSE YOUR RELIGION" IF YOU GO FISHING EQUIPPED WITH OUR "A-1" TACKLE; FOR WHEN A "BIG ONE" TACKLES YOUR BAIT OUR HOOKS, LINES AND POLES WON'T BREAK.

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All these comforts and conveniences at about the same cost you would pay for the rent of some undesirable place, and there is no real home without the sense of ownership.

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Select from our two hundred large lots at West End, one that suits you, prices range from $200 to $500. Pay for same cash or monthly and when paid we will build you a nice, snug bungalow or cottage, giving you the easy monthly terms we promise.

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Leaves Cooperstown week days 6:30 a. m. and 12:30 p. m.; Sundays 7:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.

Delaware & Hudson R. R.

"The D&H" TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday, Sept. 24, 1916.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows

NORTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
303	Morning Express ..	6:15 a m	6:20 a m
305	Saratoga Express ..	9:40 a m	9:45 a m
307	Boston Express	11:50 a m	11:55 a m
309	Mail Express	4:10 p m	4:15 p m
311	"Flyer"	8:25 p m	8:35 p m
313	Sunday only	11:46 a m	11:50 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
300	Binghamton Local		8:20 a m
302	Local Passenger ...	10:35 a m	10:40 a m
304	Chicago Express ...	12:40 p m	12:45 p m
306	Oneonta Local	6:45 p m	7:00 p m
308	Chicago Express ..	3:30 p m	3:35 p m
312	Sleeper	2:30 a m	2:35 a m
314	Sunday only	11:10 a m	11:15 a m
316	Sunday only	7:00 p m	7:05 p m

Trains 301, 303, 304, 306 run Sundays.

Trains leave Oneonta for Cooperstown and intermediate points at 7:10 a. m., 10:25 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. on week days. Sunday at 11:55 a. m., and 7:10 p. m. Returning arrive at Oneonta at 9:55 a. m. and at 12 m., 4:30 and 6:40 p. m. Sundays at 11:05 a. m. and 6:40 p. m.

Southern New York Railway

Schedule effective September 6.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points at 8:05, 10:12, 12:15, 2:15, *4:15 and 6:15 p. m. for Hartwick at 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Arriving at Hartwick one hour later, at Cooperstown one hour thirty minutes later, at Richfield Springs two hours later and Herkimer three hours later.

Trains will arrive at Oneonta as follows: 6:50, 7:47, 9:47, *10:57 and 11:47 a. m., 1:47, 3:47, 5:47, 6:47 and 8:51 p. m.

City Service.

Leave East End (week days) at 6:30, 7:15, 7:45 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, 7:25, 7:55 and every thirty minutes thereafter.

Leave the D. & H. for Normal (week days) at 7:05, 7:35, 8:05 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Normal for D. & H. (week days) at 6:33, 7:13, 8:19, 8:49 and every thirty minutes.

Sundays.

First car leaves Normal at 8:10 a. m., last car at 9:10 p. m.

First car leaves East End at 7:45 a. m., last car at 10:45 p. m.

First car leaves Junction at 7:55 a. m.

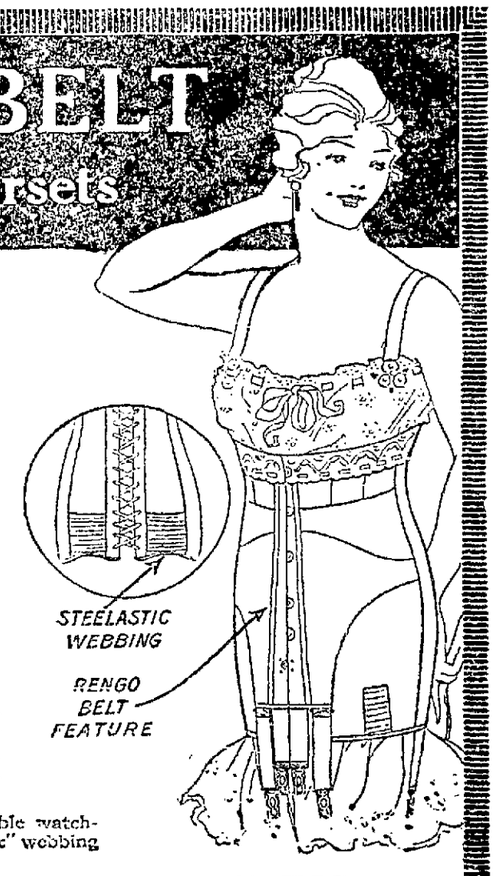
Last car leaves West Oneonta for Broad street at 10:20 p. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for East End at 10:20 p. m.

*Denotes daily except Sunday.

J. W. NUGENT, G. P. A.

RENGO BELT Reducing Corsets



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108 acre farm, one mile off state road, fine house, good basement, barn, henhouse and other outbuildings, running water. A great bargain. $1,900.00, $350.00 cash payment.

40½ acre farm, one-half mile off state road, good house and barns, large hen house, will accommodate 600 fowls, fruit of all kinds, running water. Price $2,800.00, small cash payment.

175 acre farm on state road, near this city, splendid house, all improvements, electric lights in all buildings, basement barn, garage, large hen house, granary, feed house, horse barn, running water at house and barn, large lawn, splendid shade, spacious piazzas, a fine productive farm. Price $13,500.00.

Pine, hemlock, oak and chestnut lumber for sale, timber lands, city property and business opportunities for sale.

85 acre chicken and dairy farm on state road, one mile from railroad station and creamery; fine house, toilet and bath, hot and cold water, new barn, accommodations for 1,300 fowls, will include all farm tools, fodder about 400 fowls, young team horses, four cows, 2,400 egg incubator, etc., price $5,200.00, $1,000.00 cash payment.

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CHARACTERIZING the present German submarine warfare as "a warfare against mankind," President Wilson in his address made the following recommendation to congress:

I advise that congress declare the recent course of the imperial German government to be in fact nothing less than war against the government and people of the United States and that it formally accept the status of the belligerent which has thus been thrust upon it and employ all of its resources to bring the government of Germany to terms and to end the war.

Following this epoch making assertion, this resolution was introduced in both branches of congress:

Joint resolution declaring that a state of war exists between the imperial German government and the government and people of the United States and making provision to prosecute the same:

Whereas, The recent acts of the imperial government are acts of war against the government and people of the United States;

Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, That the state of war between the United States and the imperial German government which has been thus thrust upon the United States is hereby formally declared; and

That the president be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to take immediate steps not only to put the country in a thorough state of defense, but also to exert all of its power and employ all of its resources to carry on war against the imperial German government and to bring the conflict to a successful termination.

And then the United States of America had entered the greatest struggle in the history of the world.

Unreservedly With the Allies.

Before an audience that cheered him as he has never been cheered in the capitol in his life the president cast in the lot of America unreservedly with the allies and declared for a war that must not end until the issue between autocracy and democracy has been fought out. He recited our injuries at Germany's hands, but he did not rest our cause on those; he went on from that point to range us with the allies as a factor in an irrepressible conflict between the autocrat and the people. He showed that peace was impossible for the democracies of the world while this power remained on earth. "The world," he said, "must be made safe for democracy."

We had learned that the German autocracy could never be a friend of this country; she had been our enemy while nominally our friend and even before the war of 1914 broke out. He called on us to take our stand with the democracies in this irrepressible conflict with before our eyes "the wonderful and heartening events that have been happening in the last few weeks in Russia." He reaffirmed his hope for peace and for freedom and looked to the war now forced upon us to bring these about for, he said, a world compact for peace "can never be maintained except by a concert of the democracies of the world."

The objects for which we fight, he said, are democracy, the right of those who submit to authority to have a voice in their own government, the right and liberties of small nations, the universal dominion of right, the concert of free peoples to bring peace and safety to all nations and to make the world free. These have always been our ideals, and to accomplish them we accept the war Germany has made upon us. In fighting it we must not only raise an army and increase the navy, but must aid the allies in all ways, financial and other, and so order our own preparations as not to interfere with the supply of munitions they are getting from us.

Ready For Strife.

This utterance found the nation ready. The position attained by American manufacturers of explosives and other war materials in supplying the entente allies and their ability to come promptly to the aid of the United States in the prosecution of war with Germany are shown in a compilation issued by the National City bank of New York contrasting the foreign trade of this country in the war period, Aug. 1, 1914, to Feb. 1 last, with the previous period, Feb. 1, 1912, to Aug. 1, 1914.

The review made by the bank was prepared primarily for the purpose of showing the movement of foreign commerce. That section of the report, however, relating to war shipments reveals the potentialities within the United States for a complete supply of requisites for carrying on aggressive military operations. With many contracts from foreign governments for shells and other war supplies expired or lessening in volume, American manufacturers are in an excellent position to meet the requirements of their own government.

Some Striking Figures.

Some of the striking munition exports enumerated by the bank since the war began, compared with the two and one-half year period before hostilities, are:

Explosives, $902,000,000 against $14,000,000; manufactures of brass, chiefly material for shells, $407,000,000 against $21,000,000; manufactures of iron and steel, chiefly for war purposes, $1,434,000,000 against $695,000,000; automobiles for war use chiefly, $225,000,000 against $70,000,000; zinc, $107,000,000 against $2,000,000; chemicals, $278,000,000 against $67,000,000; breadstuffs, $1,278,000,000 against $449,000,000; meats, $628,000,000 against $368,000,000; horses and mules, $235,000,000 against $12,000,000; sugar, $153,000,000 against $6,000,000; cotton manufactures, $260,000,000 against $123,000,000, and woolen manufactures, $91,000,000 against $11,000,000.

Less raw cotton was shipped in the war period, the figures being $1,131,000,000, while in the two and one-half years preceding the conflict this export had a value of $1,332,000,000. The bank's analysis showed that exports from this country to Europe between Aug. 1, 1914, and Feb. 1 last increased more than 100 per cent when compared with the period from Feb. 1, 1912, to Aug. 1, 1914, one of normal trade conditions.

The total trade of the United States in the first two and one-half years of the war was $15,623,000,000 against $10,490,000,000 in the corresponding period preceding the war. Exports under the stimulus of war trading reached a total of $10,562,000,000 against $5,882,000,000 and imports $5,061,000,000 against $4,608,000,000. The bank's statement also says:

Trade with Europe shows greater changes than with other grand divisions, while the exports of manufactures and imports of manufacturing materials are the striking features when considered by articles. Exports to Europe in the war period are $7,648,000,000 against $3,565,000,000, despite the fact that the exports to the central powers in the war period are but $16,000,000 against $865,000,000 in the pre-war period. Imports from Europe are but $1,506,000,000 against $2,207,000,000 in the pre-war period. Those from the central powers are but $90,000,000 against $542,000,000 in the pre-war period.

Exports to North America are $1,771,000,000 against $1,423,000,000; South America, $417,000,000 against $335,000,000; Asia (exclusive of material for Russia via Vladivostok), $581,000,000 against $290,000,000. Imports from North America are $1,392,000,000 against $1,008,000,000; South America, $406,000,000 against $351,000,000, and Asia, $969,000,000 against $686,000,000.

Increase In Exports.

In exports by articles the greatest growth occurs in the group of manufactures amounting to $3,083,000,000 against $2,831,000,000 in the pre-war period; food products, $2,563,000,000 against $1,133,000,000. Manufacturing material exported shows a decline, being $1,523,000,000 against $1,806,000,000 in the pre-war period.

The bank's analysis shows that the chief increase in imports was in manufacturing material, being $2,015,000,000 in the war period against $1,582,000,000, and foodstuffs were $1,357,000,000 against $1,128,000,000, while manufactures showed a decline, amounting in the war period to but $1,616,000,000 compared with $1,850,000,000 in the period before the war. The miscellaneous group in exports was $246,000,000 against $20,000,000, due to the fact that more than 1,000,000 horses and mules were included in that group.

Changes in movements to and from the principal countries were: To the United Kingdom, exports of the war period, $3,571,000,000, against $1,430,000,000; France, $1,545,000,000, against $363,000,000; Italy, $600,000,000, against $184,000,000, and Russia, $714,000,000 against $67,000,000.

The efficacy of the British blockade was demonstrated by the fact that in the war period exports from this country to Germany amounted to only $16,000,000 compared with $804,000,000 in the pre-war period.

Codfish Will Eat Anything.

The cod has the reputation of being as omnivorous as the goat, whose appetite for posters and old tin cans is the subject of frequent jests. The varied nature of what the cod swallows is not more remarkable than the enormous quantity. According to a writer in the Scotsman, such articles as silver brooches, clasp knives, books and rubber balls have been found in its stomach. One fisherman of Aberdeen has a stone that weighs more than a pound taken from a cod that had swallowed it for the sea anemones with which it was covered. The same fisherman has also found specimens of almost all the stalk eyed crustaceans that frequent the northeast coast of Scotland and of every kind of fish that a cod can master, including its own young. Cod have been known to swallow partridges, guillemots and hares.

TWO DECLARATIONS.

To such a task we can dedicate our lives and our fortunes, everything that we are and everything that we have, with the pride of those who know that the day has come when America is privileged to spend her blood and her might for the principles that gave her birth and happiness and the peace which she has treasured.

God helping her, she can do no other.—President Wilson April 2, 1917.

And for the support of this declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our fortunes and our sacred honor.—Declaration of Independence July 4, 1776.

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It Allows Each of Us One Every Three Days This Year.

One potato every three days to each person in the United States, instead of one potato every day, is the limit allowed by the 1916 potato crop, according to Eugene H. Grubb, the "potato king" and owner of extensive potato lands near Carbondale, Colo. His figures are based upon an average of 100 potatoes per bushel and a total production of 250,000,000 bushels, which means only a bushel and a peck, or 128 potatoes, this year for each American.

"In knowledge of potato culture and fertility of the soil farmers in the United States are from forty to fifty years behind the farmers of Europe. The potato crop is the most difficult one to grow. This vegetable is most easily affected by bad soil and weather conditions," said Mr. Grubb.

"If farmers of America studied the raising of potatoes their crops would average from 200 to 250 bushels an acre instead of eighty bushels, as at present. Some of the best farmers abroad make their lands yield as high as 500 and even 700 an acre. When we do this we will see material decreases in the celebrated high cost of living."

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Don't wear a suit for more than three days in succession. Then give it a thorough brushing and have it pressed.

Once a month turn the coat and trousers inside out and hang them out of doors for a thorough airing.

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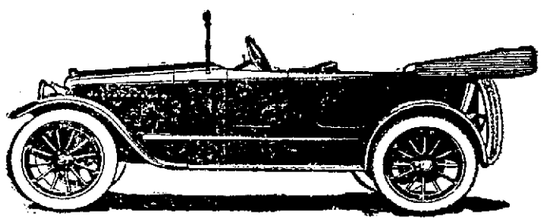

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ER SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Per Cent Increase in the Proportion of the Available Children Attending Schools Took Place Following Construction of Good Roads in Eight Counties.

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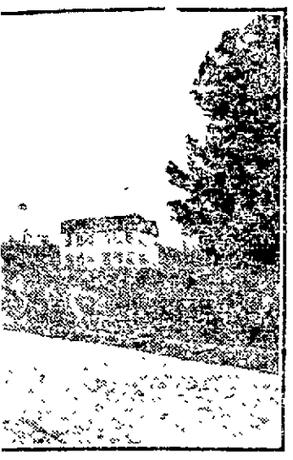

ADED SCHOOL TAKES THE PLACE OF MBER OF LITTLE ONE ROOM COUN- SCHOOLHOUSES.

at publication of the office. The cement in roads was followed several of the counties, the rows, by consolidation of a num- the little one room schools into schools, which give the pupils educational advantages; by a de ment of various industries and ial improvements due to easier intercourse. These improvements are related closely to increases in land values and decreases in hauling costs, effects also traced to the construction of improved roads.

In Spotsylvania county, Va., the average daily school attendance increased from 57 per cent of the enrollment before the roads were improved to 77 per cent after. Several small schools were consolidated. Between 1909, the year preceding the building of good roads, and 1913, the year following their completion, the shipment of forest products, the principal products of the county, increased more than 78 per cent. The increase during this period in the poultry business in the county was 77 per cent and in dairying 110 per cent

In Dinwiddie county, Va., the average daily attendance for children for thirteen schools on the improved roads was 63.4 per cent of the enrollment in 1912-13, while the average attendance for all other schools in the county was 56 per cent. Several school consolidations have been effected, larger school buildings have been constructed, and pupils have been transported to school at the expense of the educational system since the road improvements were made. Truck gardening and dairying, which were profitable only within three miles of the principal market town of the county before the road improvement, are now carried on profitably within a seven mile radius.

In Lee county, Va., a considerable industry has been built up following the road improvements in the shipment of tanbark, extract wood and pulp wood, products which could not be profitably hauled over the unimproved roads. The improved highway system has attracted buyers of farm products who travel from farm to farm and furnish a new cash market for the farmers. There has been a 25 per cent increase in buggies sold by a county vehicle factory.

In Wise county, Va., social conditions have been bettered since the good roads were constructed, many farmers along the improved highways having built new homes or improved old ones, adding sanitary conveniences. School attendance has increased materially, but since compulsory attendance regulations went into effect about the time the improved roads were completed the influence of the two factors could not be determined separately. Several school consolidations have been made.

Automobile registrations in Franklin county, N. Y., increased from 371 before the road improvement in 1912 to 853 after road improvement in 1914, and two automobile bus lines connecting distant towns in the county were established as soon as the improved roads were opened.

There has been a notable stimulation of dairying and general diversification on the farms of Dallas county, Ala., since the improvement of the roads of that county.

In the section of Lauderdale county, Miss., where most of the roads have been improved, the school attendance increased from 72 per cent of the enrollment in 1912, just after the road work started, to 81 per cent in 1913, after the completion of the work. Several school consolidations have been effected.

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Fish Versus Mosquitoes.

Myriads of mosquitoes used to infest the rice plantations of Madagascar. Dr. Legendre, a savant well known in scientific circles in Paris, conceived the idea of freeing the region of malarial trouble by the introduction into the watercourses of cyprin, or red fish, which are very fond of both mosquitoes and their eggs. Within five months 500 fish multiplied to 10,000, and these destroyed nearly all the mosquitoes. The fish besides being a malaria destroyer became very important as an addition to native food.—London Telegraph.

Smiled the Wrong Way.

"Well, my boy," he asked cheerfully at the breakfast table the morning after Cholly had taken the leap, "how did things go last evening? Did she smile on your proposal?"

"No," said Cholly faintly, pushing away a breakfast roll. "She smiled at it."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

OUR FLAG

"RESOLVED, That the flag of the thirteen United States be thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation." These words brought the flag into official being—a resolution of congress, adopted in Philadelphia on June 14, 1777. Yet a whole year earlier there had been a flag, the one sewed by the devoted fingers of Betsy Ross, the young Philadelphia woman who had made it at the suggestion of a committee from congress, accompanied by General Washington, from whose coat of arms the design was borrowed.

The flag went into battle for the first time at Brandywine, Sept. 11, 1777, and on Feb. 14, 1778, received the first salute from a foreign power when the Ranger, commanded by John Paul Jones, was saluted by the French in Quiberon bay, France. At length came Vermont and Kentucky into the Union, and two more stripes and two more stars were added to our banner on May 1, 1795. So it continued for twenty-three years, by which time five more states had entered the galaxy of commonwealths. And then on April 4, 1818, the flag was fixed at thirteen stripes again, but with twenty stars, one to be added on July 4 for each new state thereafter. And Illinois, admitted in December of the same year, was the first to set a new star in the blue field where today are forty-eight.

RAINBOW HUED SHOES COMING, DEALERS SAY

Leather Is So Scarce Cloth Will Be Used More, With Greater Color Variety.

The all leather shoe will soon be almost extinct, according to an announcement of the executive committee of the National Retail Shoe Dealers' association in New York. Cloth is to be substituted, but as cloth is plentiful the shoe top will henceforth creep two inches higher above milady's ankle and will appear in colors heretofore taboo in the shoe trade.

In view of the embarrassment which may follow this departure the association will appoint a committee to instruct buyers throughout the country relative to the proper combinations of colors, it being presumed that many small retailers would not know whether red and pink, for instance, would be popular in their particular cities.

An official said: "Today we can procure hides only from Russia and India, and this is done only after great difficulty. We have sufficient leather to meet the demand, but it will be necessary to substitute cloth for leather in shoe tops in the majority of cases. Shoes will not, however, increase materially in price. During the past year shoe prices have increased about 10 per cent, but the price of leather has increased about 100 per cent.

"By next fall, I should say, a shoe costing $5 today will sell for about $6 or $6.50. They will not get cheaper, but the crest of the wave of high shoe prices has almost been reached."

TO DEEPEN THE MERRIMAC.

Will Lower Cost of Coal in Great Textile Centers.

The excessive cost of coal, plus inability to get it in satisfactory quantities at any price in time of freight embargoes, has given impetus to a generation old movement to make the Merrimac river navigable from its mouth to Lowell, Mass. Army engineers have approved plans for an eighteen foot channel to the Spindle City, conditional on the state paying one-half of the estimated $7,000,000 cost.

Representative Augustus P. Gardner, John J. Rogers and Michael F. Phelan, through whose districts the river runs, have asked the legislature to vote the necessary appropriation that they may have a lever to use on the committee on rivers and harbors.

The Merrimac flows through one of the most congested sections of the United States. From its mouth to Haverhill there is a seven foot channel, enabling Haverhill to get its coal at $2 less a ton than the larger places further inland.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT

Rheumatism.

For acute articular rheumatism the following treatment is recommended by a writer in the Medical Adviser, quoted by the Medical Record: An ointment made of four drams each of ichthyol, methyl salicylate and oil of turpentine, mixed with four ounces of lanolin, is applied to the affected joints and covered with cotton and oiled silk. The patient is put to bed in flannel nightclothes and between blankets for absolute rest.

His diet must be liquid preferably milk, together with fruit juices and plenty of water. Elimination through bowels, skin and kidneys must be attended to carefully. At the beginning of the treatment a dose of calomel and bicarbonate of soda is given and followed after four hours by rochelle salts or a seidlitz powder. Rhubarb and soda may be given to advantage until the tongue is clean. Throughout convalescence the patient must abstain from all animal foods and alcohol.

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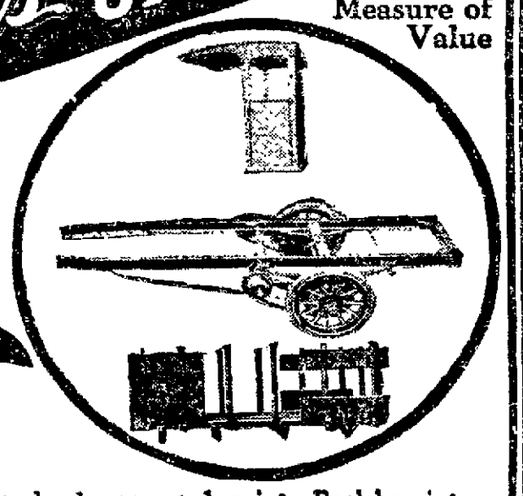

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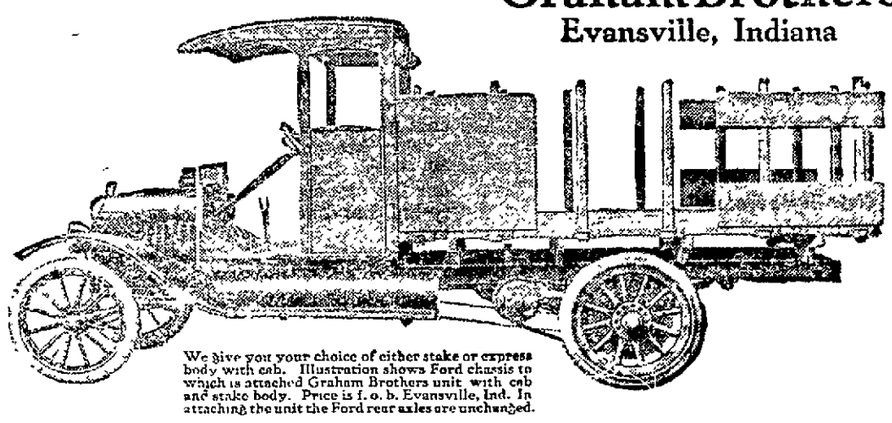

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"There is a possibility—to some it is a probability—that one result of the present European war will be to reduce the number of immigrants to America. The immediate effect has certainly been to cut off immigration almost entirely, and there can be no doubt that the demand for labor will be so great in some of the belligerent countries that, if necessary, governmental prohibition of emigration will be resorted to after the war."

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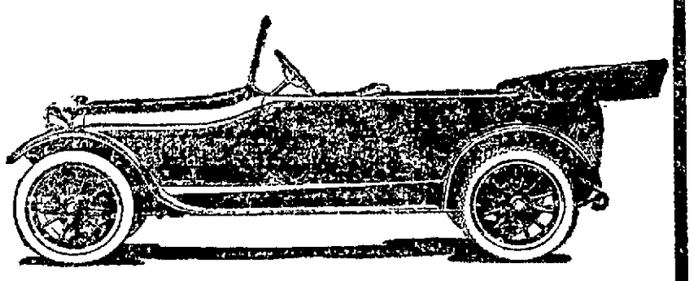

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There is hardly a man or woman who has not experienced the strange feeling of having his or her foot asleep. Few of them really know what is taking place. Though the pain is a strange one, the cause is explained readily.

The strangeness of the "foot going to sleep" is due to a mechanical obstruction of the great sciatic nerve. When we sit for a long time with our legs crossed or with the back of the thigh pressing upon the edge of a chair the sciatic nerve is squeezed.

The sciatic nerve is the largest in the body. It springs from the small of the back and supplies nearly the whole of the nerves of the leg and foot. The sciatic, like all other nerves, is really a great bundle of nerve fibers, each of which has its own sheath.

The whole nerve is elastic, and pressure on it will flatten it, as a rubber hose is flattened by pressure. The nerve fibers are like bundles of thread, but finer. They run longitudinally, each thread having its ending somewhere in a muscle or in the skin and passing, without branching or communicating with the other threads with which it is wrapped up, straight to its nucleus in some nerve center of the brain or spinal cord.

How these nerves carry sensation is not known, but the operation is similar to that of messages passing by electricity over a telegraph wire. If a nerve fiber be cut it no longer carries sensation. Sensation can also be cut off by compressing a nerve, for the nerve matter that does the work is soft, and the sheaths that inclose it are firm, but elastic. Pressure at one point on a nerve is similar in its results to pressure on a rubber hose through which water is passing. In the latter case the flow of water is stopped. In the former the soft nerve matter within the sheath is pushed apart, so that the continuity is actually broken and the messages can no longer pass to or fro over it.

When the pressure on the nerve is released the soft contents of the sheath gradually return to their place.

Altering the Map Without War.

In a world where nations grow and decay, where forces change and populations become cramped, it is not possible or desirable to maintain the status quo forever. If peace is to be preserved, nations must learn to accept unfavorable alterations of the map without feeling that they must first be defeated in war or that in yielding they incur a humiliation.—Bertrand Russell in Atlantic Monthly.

No Discrimination.

"I'm afraid father-in-law doesn't care much about me," said the young man. "He finds fault with most everything I do."

"Nonsense!" replied his wife. "You don't know his ways. He is treating you just like one of the family."—Exchange.

PLOW THE GARDEN.

Loosening the Soil Has a Beneficial Effect on Future Crops.

Winter plowing of the garden is of extreme importance in Oklahoma, for it offers a practical method of helping solve the drought problem. The loosened soil is in an ideal condition to absorb water. The winter snows melt and are absorbed, scarcely any of the water that falls as rain is lost, and as a result a vast store of moisture is available later in the year when rains are scarce and the plants need water.

Likewise winter plowing is beneficial in other ways. The alternate freezes and thaws break up the soil particles, liberate plant food and put the ground in an ideal physical condition. Insects in large numbers are killed by the cold winter weather, and the trash which lies upon the ground rots and becomes available for plant use. Moreover, ground which is winter plowed warms up early in the spring and in rainy seasons can frequently be planted before it is possible to do spring plowing.—C. W. Rapp, Department of Horticulture, Oklahoma Agricultural College.

Why You Have Gooseflesh in Chilly Temperatures.

Gooseflesh is nothing more or less than a contracting of the muscles under the skin. This causes the tiny blood vessels also to contract and drives the blood out. The skin tightens, and this acts directly on the hair follicles, which are always at an angle with the skin and not directly inward. Therefore as the skin exerts a pull the angle is changed and the hair is made to stand straight up. As the growth of hair on the body is so slight, the hair follicles are clearly visible, and what we term gooseflesh is the result. But it is nothing more or less than the hair standing on end.

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completly eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomain-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

HOW

To Cure an Incipient Cold and to Relieve a Cough

WHAT should we do if we are catching cold? That means if we start with sneezing and chills. Promptly empty the bowels, either by taking a strong laxative, as epsom salts or castor oil or soap enemas, the latter several times, so as to make them thoroughly effective. The second action should be to take a boiling hot bath or a blanket wrap. The latter is made by dipping a sheet into very hot water, which is then wrapped around the patient and followed by at least two blankets and as many hot kids or bottles as the house avails. Give the patient plenty of hot lemonade to drink, and when a copious sweat is produced take care not to chill the patient by carefully rubbing each part of the body with cold water, while the rest of the body is well covered. But do not omit the cold rub afterward. Remember to have the head well covered with cold compresses.

Light diet, consisting of fruit juices with little sweetening, should be given. All solid food should be avoided. This will assist greatly in fighting the cold. Fasting is like housecleaning—giving the bodily machinery time to get rid of all waste. If throat and nose begin to feel dry, so as to be uncomfortable, do not neglect to moisten these parts.

A very good compound recommended by one of the best authorities on the matter is the following:

Oil of eucalyptus, twenty drops.
Menthol, ten grains.
Liquid paraffin, two ounces.
Dissolve and mix. Use in atomizer.

If chilliness prevails the patient should spend a day in bed. It is both cheaper and more comfortable to do this, for it avoids complications. Once the cold toxins have got into your system you must expect serious discomfort for some time. Nervous diseases, heart trouble and kidney diseases have often been started by one of these apparently harmless colds.

If your nostrils are particularly sore and the secretions very profuse salt water ought to be snuffed up the nose, but never if the cold is in a very severe stage for fear of infecting the ears. If you use the douche glass always keep the mouth open. This does away with the danger of having the solution run to the ears. A disinfectant and soothing solution follows:

Menthol, twenty grains.
Camphor, twenty grains.
Liquid vaseline, two ounces.
Mix and label. Use in atomizer as nasal douche.

ABOUT BILLIARD BALLS.

Why They Click When They Strike One Another.

What makes the "click" when two billiard balls or other spheres of any solid material strike each other? Professor Banerji has found that the distribution of the intensity of the sound in various directions around the line of impact is very remarkable, and he has found methods of measuring the force of these sounds so exactly that he is able to set down the following conclusions:

The sound, he explains, is not due, as has been hitherto thought, to the vibrations of the spheres, which in any ordinary material, such as ivory, wood or metal, are both too high in pitch to be audible and too faint in intensity to be heard. The click is due to air vibrations caused by the reversal of the motion of the spheres as a whole.

He has ascertained that the intensity is at its highest or maximum in a line joining the centers of the spheres. It gradually diminishes almost to zero at an angle of about sixty-seven degrees with a line joining the centers, when it again increases to a second maximum at an angle of ninety degrees. In other words, the click is loudest at the very point of contact of the spheres, which is what we would naturally expect.

Clever Advertising.

An ingenious advertisement recently made its appearance on the walls and boardings of a French town. It said:

"A wallet containing the sum of 300 francs and a large number of orders has been lost by a traveling salesman of the firm of X. & Co. The finder is requested to return the orders to X. & Co. and to keep the 300 francs as a reward for his trouble in so doing."

Of course everybody read the advertisement. Of course everybody said to himself that the batch of orders on X. & Co. must be a nice, fat one. Thus by a clever stratagem X. & Co. managed to diffuse among the public the impression that theirs was a large business, with an immense number of customers. "Not even the Americans," says the proud Frenchman who reports this example of Gallic enterprise, "not even the Americans could have worked the trick better."—New York Post.

Houses Made of Glass.

Glass is becoming more generally used as a building material each year. For some years glass bricks have been utilized where strength and durability as well as beauty were essential features. Glass is used for wainscoting, for partitions, for ceilings and for facing the fronts of buildings. It is also being used for foundations.

It has been demonstrated that the crushing strength of glass is three times that of granite, six times that of ordinary brick and ten times that of concrete. Another advantage it has over these materials is that it is absolutely nonabsorbent, so that a glass building can be perfectly dry inside, no matter what the atmospheric conditions outside.—Atlanta Journal.

It Worked Six Years.

"Girl" arrested after working six years as a housemaid in Fall River, Mass., turned out to be a man who had worked as woman in many homes.

It Was Still Burning.

Hero dived from New York wall with pipe in mouth to rescue man overboard, and when he climbed out pipe was still alight.

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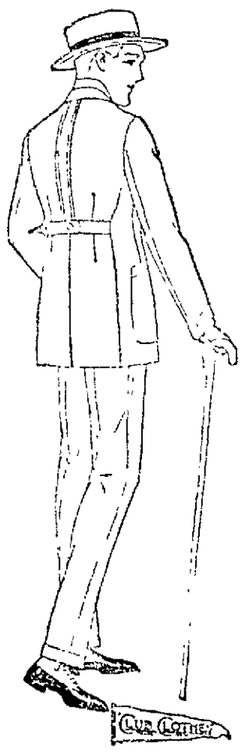

Take a look at this man! Surely you'll say he's well dressed—surely you'll say there is something different and new and unusually forceful about the hang of his coat. These garments show clearly the character, the tone, of our clothes. Planning ahead months ago, buying when buying was best, when quality was highest, when values seemed greatest, brought us values that stand alone! $15.00, $18.00 and $20.00. Full lines of Easter Furnishings ready.

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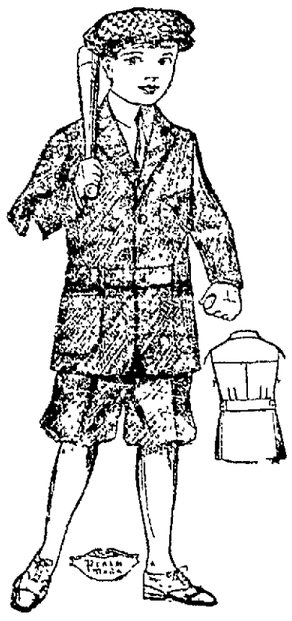

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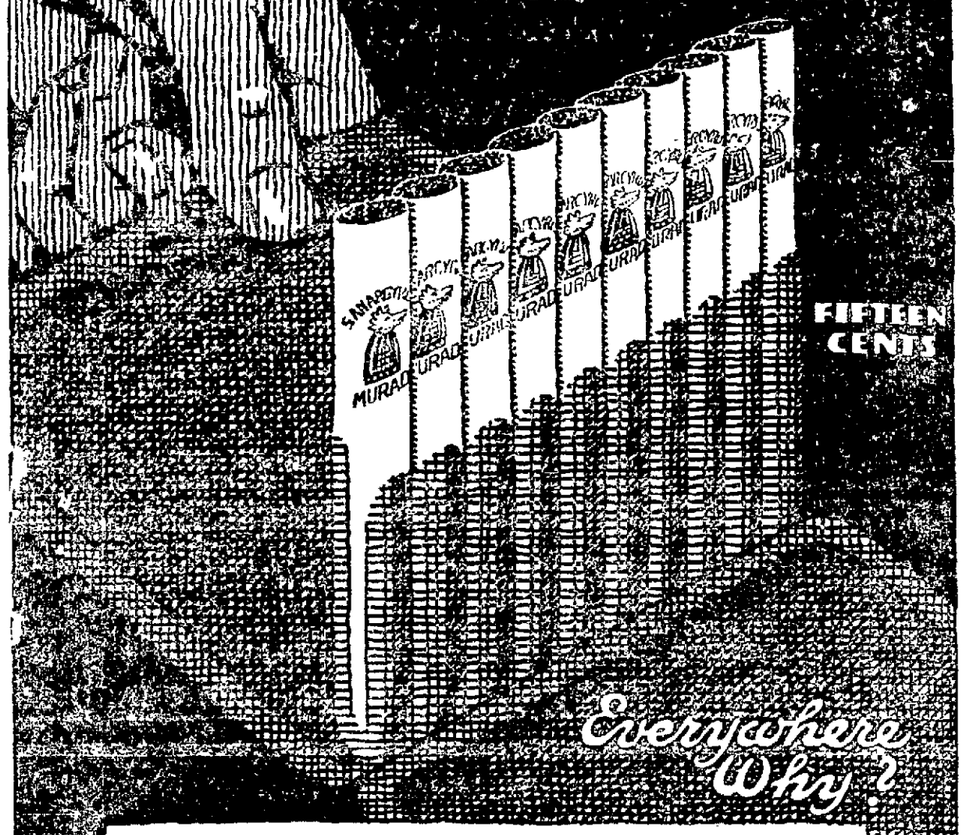

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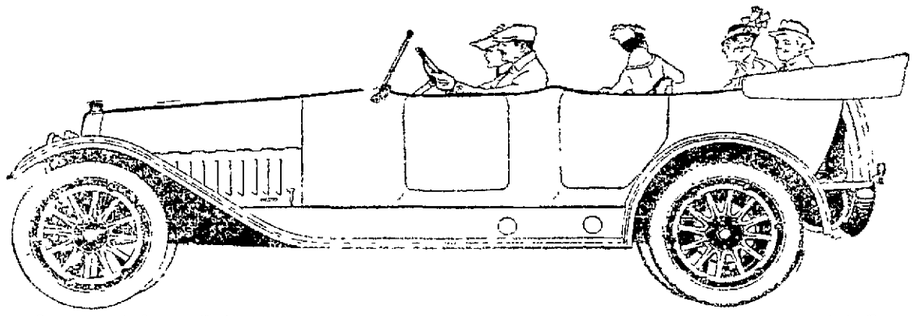

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ough no request for co-operation een addressed to the general pub- ficials welcome and hold in strict- nfidence co-operation on the part private citizens looking to the prevention of activities harmful to the national interest. A number of private citizens, impelled by patriotic motives, already have furnished much valuable information of this character, it was said, and have aided materially in the work of the two bureaus heretofore engaged in enforcing the maintenance of American neutrality. Officials want to encourage citizens to communicate such information through United States attorneys or direct to the department of justice.

In calling upon its civilian employees to aid in the work of the bureau of investigation the government will rely chiefly upon the field force of all its varied activities, men whose daily work bring them in constant touch with the public. This includes, in addition to postmasters and letter carriers, the field forces of the department of the interior, the Federal Trade Commission, the department of agriculture, the Interstate Commerce Commission, the internal revenue and customs bureaus of the treasury department, department of commerce workers and investigators and immigration and other officials of the department of labor.

Tea Drinking In Siam.

Tea is to be found in every tent and dwelling in Siam. There is always a kettle on the fire filled with tea and prepared for drinking, which is done by adding milk, butter and salt. This is their way of fixing this beverage. A peculiar mode of hospitality is shown by these people in reference to their tea. It is always at the disposal of every stranger and traveler. He need not ask for it. Neither is it expected that he should, but he must have his own cup. This is imperative, and accordingly every one carries a cup with him at all times. Some of these utensils are marvels of workmanship and are highly valued.

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HOW WOMEN CAN DO NAVAL SERVICE

Commander Tells What Steps Are Necessary.

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What is a yeoman? How does one become a yeowoman?

What is the remuneration for the wearing of such a title?

Where does one go when once one has pinned it on—the title, not the remuneration?

Many young women are inquiring about doing yeoman service for the government. Commander John B. Patton, U. S. N., of the Third district of the United States naval reserve and on the staff of Rear Admiral Usher, commandant of the New York navy yard, gave the following information:

"The service of a yeoman, which may be undertaken by a man or woman, constitutes clerical work," said Commander Patton. "This includes stenography, typing and any of the subheads that come under the general head of clerical work.

"There are four classes—chief yeoman, who receives $66 a month and board on sea or shore; first class, $44 and board; second class, $38.50 and board, and third class, $33.

"The salaries vary according to the class of work demanded. A chief yeoman must naturally be an expert. At present women as yeomen are not being enrolled because of the press of other matters. Immediately it is decided to take applications notices will be published through the newspapers."

Examinations Required.

"What examinations would have to be passed in order to qualify an applicant for yeomanry duty?" he was asked.

"The usual examinations one would put any applicant through who wished to do clerical work," he replied. "He or she would be asked to take dictation, give an example of typing, etc. These examinations would be given in the navy yard. The physical examination of women would be given under the direction of the nurses at the naval hospital."

"In what other lines can women enroll in the naval reserve?"

"As wireless operators and telephone switchboard operators. In any of these classes—yeomen, wireless or telephone operators—women would probably not go to sea, but would be detailed for shore duty. Certainly they would not go to sea at first."

"What is the pay of a wireless telegrapher?"

"A chief electrician gets $60 and board, first class operator $55 and board, second class $44 and third class $33."

"The observation has been made," Commander Patton was told, "that it would be a bit hard on a woman should she give up a regular position to learn wireless for the sake of her country and then find herself uncalled for and out of work."

Can Collect Retainer.

"There is, however, this feature of the problem," he answered, "that after she has taken her preparatory work she may take her three months' confirmation and, if she chooses to remain in the reserve, may for four years thereafter collect her retainer of two months' full pay annually without performing any service during the remainder of her enrollment if there is no war. In the event she is a chief operator she would receive $132 a year, you see."

"How is this possible?" He was urged to be more specific.

"Because," he said, "the same rule that applies to men applies to women. This covers yeomen, wireless operators or any class in the service of the United States naval reserve. Men are enrolled for four years, but in time of peace they may resign whenever they desire. To be confirmed in their rank or rating they must have three months' training. They may have continuous active duty on full pay if they desire it and their services are needed.

"After three months' training and confirmation officers and men receive retainer pay every year of two months' full pay, without performing any service during the remainder of that enrollment. The training may be taken in periods of not less than three weeks at a time. Before being confirmed they receive an annual retainer pay of $12. They may enroll in any naval district they choose."

"This brings up the question of districts. Would a woman desiring to give yeoman service be apt to be detailed in the district in which she had enrolled?"

"She would be apt to be," he replied.

It may be a matter of interest to note that there are fourteen districts in the naval reserve.

Roumanian Courtesy.

The Roumanians are among the handsomest races in Europe, but that, says a correspondent of the London Telegraph, is only a part of their fascination. Some enthusiast has said that the ladies of Bukharest "combine the beauty of the Hungarian, the grace of the Austrian and the wit and style of the Parisian." But still we have not all the truth. It is the distinction and kindliness of the manners of Bukharest which mark it out among the cities of the world. No one ever found there anything but courtesy. Many have pronounced the people the politest on earth, and the politeness is not a matter of civility or readiness to oblige, but a high bred distinction of manner.

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The tanned skin of one of the large sharks and small samples of others have been received. A number of these look very promising and indicate that satisfactory tanning processes are being developed.

The skin of the large shark has been submitted to the bureau of standards for testing as to tensile strength, wearing qualities, etc.

Two firms have advised the bureau that they are in the market for large quantities of fish skins and that they are utilizing these products. Two others who have recently been perfecting processes are preparing to tan fish skins.

"How did Jones happen to fall downstairs?"

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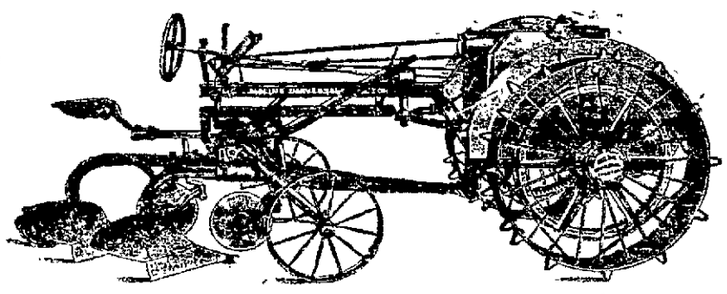

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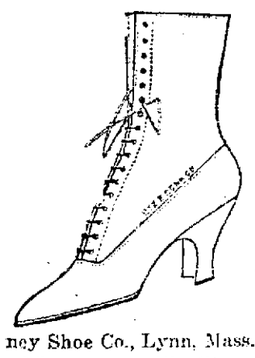

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The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America has asked President Wilson to favor resolutions in support of legislation for the creation of a commission of not less than five members to study the relations of America with Japan and China. The resolution asks that congress authorize the president to appoint the commission to meet with a like body from Japan and China, whose purpose it shall be to bring the three nations more closely together.

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When the Call Is Sounded

They will come from the hill and the valley,
They will come from the mountain and plain;
From the deeps and the heights they will rally
At the sound of the bugle's refrain.
They will come in their youth and their beauty
With valorous daring and skill,
And all will be patriot duty,
And all will be patriot will.

Not once will the echo, repeating,
Ring emptily over the plain,
But, swelled with the voices of greeting,
Redouble the clarion strain.
From hearths that are shadowed with sorrow,
From homes that are happy and gay,
They will come at the summons tomorrow
To march to the beat of the fray.

The day when the war cry is sounded
Not one will show a stitch of fear,
But numbers in haste will be rounded
And all will be courage and cheer.
They will come from the mountain and valley,
A noble, invincible band,
To the flag of the free they will rally—
The flag of their own native land!
—Lorana Sheldon in New York Times.

Curious Mode of Catching Turtles.

A curious mode of catching turtles is practiced in the West Indies. It consists in attaching a ring and a line to the tail of a species of sucker fish known as the remora. The live fish is then thrown overboard and immediately makes for the first turtle he can spy, to which he attaches himself very firmly by means of a sucking apparatus arranged at the top of his head. Once attached to the turtle, so firm is his grip that the fisherman on drawing the line brings home both turtle and the sucker.

"I USED TO GET UP FEELING WORN OUT; NOW I FEEL LIKE A BIG DAY'S WORK," HE SAYS

"I used to get up in the morning feeling tired and worn out," said A. J. Bullock, of 41 Clinton street, Binghamton, to the Tanlac Man. "I suffered from nervousness, poor appetite and my sleep was not good.

"I did not care to eat any breakfast because of lack of appetite and nervousness after a restless night. I don't know what caused me to feel that way unless it was stomach trouble. I felt well otherwise.

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Tanlac is also sold in Hartwick by Roy Adams. Advt.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

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from New York city. — Mr. and Mrs. E. T. VanBuren and son, William, expect to leave for New York city tomorrow to visit the New York conference now in session and hope to be present at the inauguration of the Billy Sunday campaign. — Ray Briggs is quite ill with pneumonia. Miss Taylor is caring for him. — Kermit and Catherine Cantwell are quite ill with mock measles. — Miss Jessie Peck of Harpersfield was a guest of Mrs. W. S. Dart yesterday. Mrs. Dart returned with her for a visit. — Mrs. A. Avery and Mrs. Fred More were Stamford callers today. — The village board has appointed the 14th and 28th of April as rubbish days. — Mrs. George Gallup is taking a vacation from her duties at the telephone office.

Ladies' Aid Elects.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church, held at the home of Mrs. A. S. Carroll this afternoon, the following officers were elected:

President—Miss Anna Carroll.
Vice President—Mrs. F. H. Odell.
Secretary—Mrs. J. B. Kniskern.
Treasurer—Mrs. William Puffer.

DAILY DELHI DOINGS.

Professor H. B. Alger of Agricultural School Arranging Concert.

Delhi, April 5.—Prof. H. B. Alger of the agricultural school has made arrangements whereby a number of noted singers will come here the last of this month to give an unusually fine concert.

Another Excursion to Florida.

W. L. Hatch, who was recently here in the interest of a Land Syndicate of Florida, is expecting to run another excursion to Fort Pierce, Florida, April 17.

A Menace to Safety.

One of the electric light poles nearly opposite the Second Presbyterian parsonage is badly decayed, leaning toward the street at an angle of about 45 degrees. This should be attended to at once before some one is injured.

Cleaning the Streets.

Street Commissioner R. H. Neal, commenced this morning cleaning up the village streets. With his long experience in road matters there is no doubt but what he will make an efficient officer.

Joined Syracuse Regiment.

John A. Gibson, who is attending college at Syracuse, is spending the Easter vacation at home. It is reported that he has enlisted in a regiment being formed in that city.

Hobart Fails to Show Up.

A basketball game was advertised to be played here last evening between the Hobart team and the Independent Five here, but Hobart failed to keep their engagement and no game was played. Basketball fans say this is the third time that Hobart has failed to appear when consenting to do so.

New Maple Sugar Plentiful.

New maple sugar is getting so plentiful that much is being sent away to out of town friends.

Masonic Meeting.

At the Masonic temple, this evening, a class of five will receive the third degree.

Those Who Come and Go.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stern returned from Hot Springs, Arkansas, last evening. — John Brandley and sister, Wilma, are spending their Easter vacation in Delhi. — Contractor W. T. Hine has completed a fine job on the Woodworth house, lower Main street, which he rebuilt for Mrs. H. W. Cannon. — Charles B. Perry of Deposit is in town. —Wilson McFarland has purchased a new automobile and it has been shipped from Detroit. — H. Glenn Harper of Cornell university is home for the spring vacation.

EAST MEREDITH MATTERS.

East Meredith, April 5. — James Mitchell of Rome was a guest of his sister, Mrs. E. J. Sexsmith, the first of the week. — Miss Martha Hansman is spending the Easter vacation with her parents at the manse. — The Aid society met Wednesday with Mrs. Hansman. About $6.00 was received from the 15 cent luncheon which was served by the ladies. — Miss Eva Adair, who teaches at Bloomfield, N. J., is at her home here for the Easter vacation. — Mrs. M. E. Henderson, Mrs. R. G. Henderson, Mrs. W. M. Brownell and Miss Elizabeth Brownell were Oneonta shoppers Tuesday. — Mr. and Mrs. Will McClellan of Hamilton were recent guests for several days of friends here. — Mrs. W. D. Beardsley was in Albany recently to consult an oculist for eye trouble. — Mrs. Henry Utter was in Kortright Tuesday to attend the funeral of a friend.

Was a Native of Cooperstown.

Every merchant and many others who have bought or sold stationery to any considerable amount, will recall the firm of Dennison & Sons of New York, whose line of products is almost limitless as to kind and variety. The head of the house, Charles Milville Dennison, who died Saturday at his home in Brooklyn, was a native of Cooperstown, where he was born 73 years ago. He began his career as an errand boy in a New York store at $1.50 a week, and rose to a high position in the mercantile world by his own efforts. His wife, three sons and three daughters survive him.

Buy your groceries at Cross & Leonard's cash store and save money, phone 91. Advt. tf

Attractive farm for sale, state road. Stevens Hardware company. adv 4t

Maple syrup labels printed on short notice at The Star office. advt tf

MOTOR SHOW A SUCCESS

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ger touring at $875, the three passenger roadster at $875, and the three passenger cabriolet at $1,150. He has an attractive booth with rugs and easy chairs for callers and with a fine $200 Columbia Grafanola he rendered a concert before the arrival of the orchestra. He is assisted by Mr. Earl from the Grant factory.

The Francis Motor Sales company of Milford and Oneonta has perhaps the most pretentious showing, with the greatest variety of cars, and there are several members of the selling force constantly in attendance at the booth. Of the extensively known Overlands there are several. The sporty appearing new Country Club with wire wheels and four passenger tonneau is conspicuous. The Model 90 is shown, while both the touring and the roadster are shown in the $5 class. There is also a stripped chassis of this model on display, which is of interest to the real "bugs." The Sedan of this model is natty in appearance and comes in for a goodly share of attention. It sells for $1,450 f. o. b. factory. Then for those who wish more cylinders there are Willys six, selling at $1,385, the Willys Knight, a four cylinder at $1,425 is a beauty, with a roadster of the same class equally attractive. The costliest car the Francis firm is showing is the Willys Stearns, an eight cylinder with a Knight motor, selling at $2,450, and looks the price. The firm is also advertising the Smith-Form-a-Truck and the Hood tires, which it is featuring this season. The booth has the most advantageous location at the very front of the center and naturally attracts the visitors first.

The Hudson super six always attracts attention at any motor show, both from performances and attractive appearance. Two of the touring cars are displayed by the Stevens Hardware company, one with the top up and the other with it down. The model is called the phaeton, but it is virtually a standard touring car. The price is $1,695 here. The Studebaker six, a touring car of good dimensions and apparently well made, is also shown by this firm. It sells at $1,290. The firm is showing also a fine line of accessories and some neat Victrolas, the latter adding to the music when others are not going

The Saxon Sales company, which is the first to report a sale, is at the east side of the armory, where are found four cars, three of the sprightly six pattern and one four cylinder, popularly priced at $495 f. o. b. factory. The sixes sell for $865. The six roadster is attracting no little attention and appeals to all as having many features to commend it.

C. H. Bennett of Otego, who sells the Paige, heralded as "The Most Beautiful Car in America," has two late models on exhibition, the Fleetwood, a light six selling at $1,090 and having all the well known Paige features, and the Fairfield, a seven passenger car with class in every line and quality in every feature, receives merited attention.

Stanton & Wolcott, whose Elcar is new in this section this season, have three models on exhibition and the car continues to receive the attention it attracted when it first appeared here. The members of the firm are as enthusiastic as ever with many interested in its attractive features.

S. G. Camp, whose Mitchell has stood the test of time and usage here, is showing two models. One is the standard 1917 touring with all its strong points, while a special job finished in pongee, is a conspicuous feature of the show.

Last, but not least, and the costliest car within the building, is the Mercer, the Kennedy Auto Sales company of Troy displaying an exact duplicate of the New York show car finished in golden brown. It is the standard four-cylinder car with its powerful engine capable of doing 75 miles handily. It sells at $3,500. The car is being shown by T. J. Sheehey and Neil Cornell, formerly of this city.

Unfortunately the Oneonta Sales company has been unable to keep or secure cars for the Show, so that no Fords or Dodges are shown. The Oneonta Auto club has a booth distributing printed matter urging membership and there are numerous representatives of motor publications.

During the evening Gardner's orchestra furnished music and the younger set found much pleasure in dancing. The admission is only 25 cents and everybody should visit the show.

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THE HIGH COST OF AUTOING

Muddy Hobart-Bloomville Roads Cause Steere to Swell Expense Account.

Carl Steere, the well known and popular salesman for the Oneonta Grocery company, set down $4.25 to extraordinary expenses in his petty cash book Monday and then whispered "damn." This is the way it came about. Mr. Steere and a specialty salesman left Oneonta Monday in a Ford roadster to cover the towns along the U. & D. They reached Hobart without mishap, leaving there after dinner for a trip to Bloomville and return. Now, there is some mud between Hobart and Bloomville and Mr. Steere's flivver got stuck fast just four times. Each time he induced a farmer to "hitch on" and pull the flivver out of the slough. Farmer No. 1 made a charge of $1 for his services and those of his trusty blacks, and Farmer No. 2, being an old friend of the Oneonta man and tender hearted as well, did the job for a quarter. Mr. Steere threw in a cigar. Farmer No. 3 went back to the established price on the Hobart-Bloomville boulevard and charged $1. It was not until Mr. Steere was within two miles of Hobart on the return trip that it began to dawn on him that the high cost of living and autoing was a very real thing. It was a pair of mules that brought the flivver back to the road and when the farmer said, "Two dollars, please," Mr. Steere clean forgot to pass out a smile and a cigar with the bill. Do you wonder that he whispered "damn" when he set down the charge in his expense book?"—[Mirror-Recorder.

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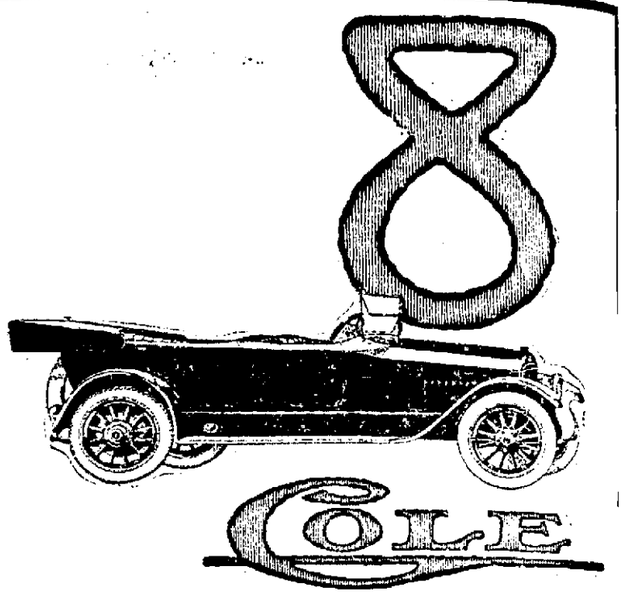

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